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STORM SWEEPS LAKE MICHIGAN

Chicago Harbor Is Strewn with Wreckage.

MOST TREACHEROUS SEA SEEN IN YEARS

Worst They Ever Encountered, Declare Lake Captains.

High, Choppy Sea Does Damage to Amount of $500,000 and Freighters, Yachts and Other Water Craft Have Hard Time Battling Storm. Passenger Boats Are Delayed Many Hours.

Chicago, Sept. 7.—A gale blowing with the fury of a hurricane that swept southern Lake Michigan has strewn Chicago harbor with wreckage. Fifteen yachts, property of the Chicago and Columbia Yacht clubs moored in the harbor, were dashed into the piers and sunk and other small craft were destroyed. A number of freighters were reported distressed just outside the harbor. Anxiety was expressed in shipping circles and every effort was made to learn the whereabouts of the various boats on the lake last night.

The gale was one of the most severe known here in years. It came up suddenly after midnight, following an electrical storm.

The wind reached a tremendous velocity and blew with such force that planks in front of the Chicago Yacht club were torn loose and thrown high against the building. Life savers were summoned by distress signals blown by the freighters, Christopher and Lagonda. Efforts to aid them proved futile while the gale continued. The life-saving station reported hearing distress signals from other steamers, but could not tell in the storm and darkness what they were.

A police boat was launched in an effort to save some of the boats in the harbor. The wind was so strong that it could make no headway and was almost capsized before it had fairly started. The effort to use it was abandoned.

Do Noble Work.

The tug, Protection, answered the distress calls of a steamer which set out against the gale and was capsized and the crew of five with Captain McCleavey were rescued by life savers after a desperate struggle. The tug was blown in towards shore and after an hour's hard work was righted and pumped out and the men again set out in an attempt to assist distressed vessels. Little headway was made before the storm.

All the passenger boats due in Chicago weathered the storm and came into port during the morning. Most of them were hours late, having been held up far out in the lake until the wind subsided. Captains of the various boats reported the hardest storm they had encountered in years.

The big freighter, Charles McVeagh with a crew of thirty men, attempted to leave the harbor just as the storm broke. The vessel was caught by the wind, swung about like a cork and dashed against the pier. She sustained little damage, but was brought back to shelter only with great difficulty. A number of smaller vessels that started out at the same time were forced to return.

A big force of men is busy on the water front clearing away the wreckage. The damage is estimated at $500,000.

"It is the worst storm I ever saw on the lakes," said Captain Carland, of the life-saving station. "I have seen many lake and ocean storms, but I never saw such a high, choppy, treacherous sea, as was running last night."

RIVAL MUSIC HALL MEN SEEK SWIMMER

Man Who Swims Channel Offered Big Money To Go on Stage.

London Sept 7.—Rival London and Paris music hall managers bid against each other today to secure the appearance in their places of William T Burgess, the second man to swim the English channel. The highest offer so far is $2,500 a week. Burgess is yet undecided.

To prove that he was in good physical condition following his long swim during which he covered enough distance in the water to cross the channel three times, Burgess took a half hour's swim in the sea today. He said that while several times he felt ill and weak in the water a good rest put him back into condition again.

Eight Inches of Rain.

Wichita Kas. Sept. 7.—Eight inches of rain fell here in the twelve hours ending at 5 o'clock this morning double any previous record. The rain was accompanied by high wind and large hail stones.

MISS WHITNEY IS MARRIED ABROAD

Quiet Wedding in Switzerland Ends a Romance.

Geneva, Switzerland, Sept 7.—Willard D. Straight and Miss Dorothy Payne Whitney, daughter of the late William C. Whitney, of New York, were married in the Episcopal church here today. The religious ceremony was preceded by a civil one. It was a quiet wedding although many well-known Americans, relatives and friends of the young people were present. Among them were Harry Payne Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. Courtlandt Bishop, and Edwin V. Morgan, United States minister to Portugal. The marriage took place here because the principals desired to avoid the publicity given such marriages in New York or Paris. Straight is a son of a missionary. He is employed by the firm of Morgan & Company in the Far Eastern investments.

Storm in Illinois.

Springfield, Ill., Sept 7.—Workmen today began clearing the streets of Springfield of a tangle of wires and limbs of trees, blown down in a severe storm which swept over the city last night.

CALLS TREATIES PROMISES ONLY

Roosevelt Protests Against Uncle Sam's Action.

DECRIES INVOLVING OF NATIONAL HONOR

Wicked Thing To Promise and Then Not Act.

Roosevelt Declares United States Would Not Keep Pact to Arbitrate Questions of Vital Honor and Interest, Even Though It Were So Unwise as To Make the Agreement. His Ideas.

New York, Sept. 7.—Nominally avoiding specific comment on the recent peace treaties with Great Britain and France, former President Roosevelt, in the current issue of a New York magazine, today entered bitter protest against the United States being a party to peace pacts involving national honor as do the pending treaties.

"General arbitration treaties under the best circumstances can only be promises; they appeal especially to sentimentalists who are never safe advisers and their importance is usually exaggerated to a ludicrous degree. The really important thing is the practical application of the principle to specific instance. Most men of knowledge, who are willing to think, know perfectly well that this country would not, as a matter of fact, keep an agreement to arbitrate all questions of vital honor and interest, even though it were so unwise as to make it; and that it is a wicked thing to put us in the position of promising what will not and can not be performed.

"It is our duty so far as human nature in the present-day world will permit, to try to provide peaceful substitutes for war as a method for the settlement of international disputes. But progress in this direction is merely hindered by the folly that believes in putting peace above righteousness.

"The true lovers of peace, the men who have really helped onward the movement for peace, have been those who followed the footsteps of Washington and Lincoln and stood for righteousness as the supreme end of national life."

GOVERNOR RECEIVES BUSHELS OF MAIL

Appeals Sent To Save Life of Condemned Negro Lad.

Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 7.—Governor George W. Donaghey today was driven to desperation by bushels of letters that have poured upon him begging him to save Earl Gilchrist, fifteen, a negro, from the gallows. He appealed to the Little Rock newspapers.

"Please try to make the people of the United States understand that Gilchrist will not be hanged September 8, if ever; that the case has not come before me and will not for perhaps a year," he pleaded.

The governor has enrolled every available clerk from the other statehouse offices to assist in opening the mountain of letters. Still they are unable to keep up with the gigantic task.

The Gilchrist boy, whom his mother testified is only fifteen, shot and killed Will Longley, twenty-five, with a shotgun, after the latter had taken a revolver, with which he had avowed to kill a playmate, from him. He was convicted of first degree murder and sentenced to die September 8.

BRIDE'S FATHER BECOMES ANGRY

Uses Cane on Photographer in Gotham.

PAPA FORCE AMUSES THE PROMENADERS

Who Gather Around the Astor Party Today.

When Asked If Wedding Will Take Place Within Seventy-Two Hours, Colonel Astor Laughs and Dashes Away in His Car—Marriage Likely To Occur at Rhinecliff, Astor's Estate, Soon.

New York, Sept. 7.—The spectacle of the elderly, dignified William H. Force, prospective father-in-law of Colonel John Jacob Astor, chasing a newspaper photographer intent upon caning him, diverted a throng of promenaders in Fifth avenue today. Force was about to enter a jeweler's shop when the photographer made an attempt to snap him. Force flourished his cane and rushed for his tormentor, but the young man proved fleeter and escaped.

Throughout the day there was excitement in the neighborhood of the Force home, hundreds of persons being drawn thither by the belief that the celebrated marriage was about to take place. The most interesting incident was the hurried visit of Colonel Astor, who spent a few minutes in the Force home and then dashed away in his big motor car.

Colonel Is Silent.

Meantime, the Astor yacht, the Noma, was coaled and ready for sailing upon a moment's notice and it was generally believed the wedding party would embark before nightfall. As he left the Force residence, Colonel Astor was asked if the wedding would take place today.

"No," he replied.

"Will it be in seventy-two hours?" was asked.

The colonel laughed in reply and dashed away.

Astor's secretary said the colonel and the Forces would spend the week end at the Astor estate at Rhinecliff. It was rumored that a minister had been found to perform the ceremony and that it had been arranged for the party to cross into Connecticut from Rhinecliff. In this way, it was reported, the wedding might take place in some quiet retreat within the next few days.

Leaves with Fiancee.

Late this afternoon, Colonel Astor, accompanied by his fiancee, Miss Madeline Force, and his sister, Miss Katherine, left the Force residence in a taxicab. Miss Madeline carried a traveling bag. When asked where they were going, Colonel Astor replied:

"To the subway and we're in a hurry."

Then he ordered the chauffeur to start quickly. Miss Force seemed very much perturbed by the momentary delay and ordered the chauffeur to go ahead without waiting for these persons," meaning the reporters. It was presumed the party was bound for Colonel Astor's yacht.

MALADY PUZZLES KENTON DOCTORS

Three Children in One Family Die of the Queer Disease.

Kenton, O., Sept. 7.—Several of the prominent medical specialists in the county besides six Kenton physicians are puzzled over the malady which yesterday caused the death of the third and youngest child in the family of W. T Johnson, a manufacturer.

A few weeks ago the family was returning from an auto trip to Chicago, when the six-year-old daughter became suddenly ill, dying in a few days. The infant child and the five-year-old son at once became ill.

Specialists were called in consultation with local doctors, and while a few agreed upon a diagnosis, several admitted being baffled. The death of the baby preceded that of the son only a few days.

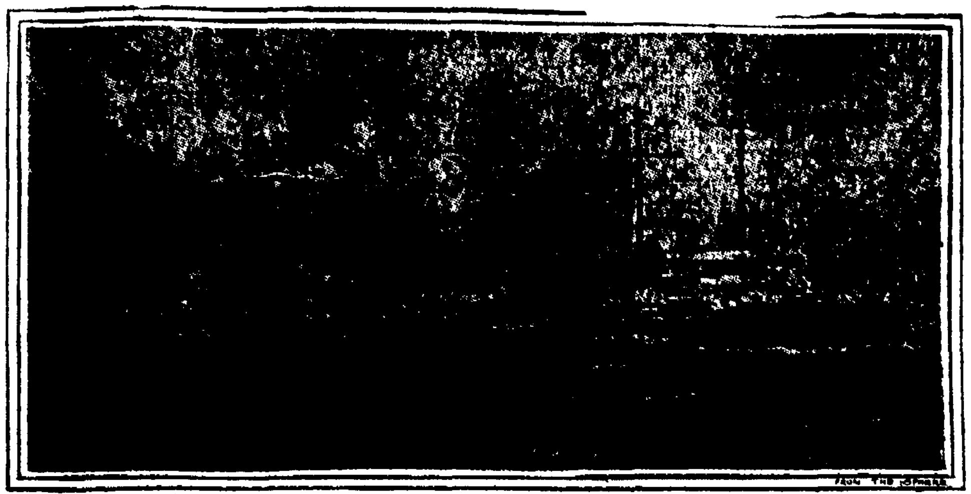
FINNY AVIATORS LEAP INTO SEA

Flying Fish Consigned to Detroit Escape from Ship's Tank.

New York, Sept. 7.—When the steamship, Bermudian, reached port today with a cargo of weird denizens of tropical waters consigned to the Detroit aquarium there were no flying fish aboard. There were several however, when the vessel left Hamilton, Bermuda, said Captain P. J. Fraser, but enroute some one removed the net from their tank and the finny aviators volplaned into the ocean.

There are times when it is better to be imposed upon than it is to fight.

HINTS OF WAR OVER MOROCCO AS THREE NATIONS REVIEW FLEETS



THE FIRST GERMAN DREADNOUGHT SQUADRON LEAVING KIEL

The review by Emperor William at Kiel a few days ago of Germany's great armada was witnessed by thousands of spectators, who had an opportunity of observing the progress made by the navy and to see the German fleet as it could take to sea to-morrow for action if necessary. That it may be necessary for Germany to show force in the settlement of the dispute in Morocco is the view advanced by several persons in Germany who are in a position to know the real status of the present situation. At the German naval review there were ninety-nine fighting ships, not including destroyers, torpedo boats, &c. At the French naval review at Toulon there were eighteen battle ships, including six of the all big gun type, nine armored cruisers and twenty-five destroyers and torpedo boats. At the recent British naval review at Portsmouth there were 170 war ships of all classes.

WANTS PEACE PACTS SIGNED

Taft Says All World Looks to United States.

HE CRITICIZES ACTION OF SEVERAL SENATORS

Burden of Creating Armies Grows Heavier Yearly.

But Steadily, Too, Has Grown Hope That an Escape from These Burdens May Be Found, That Peaceful Plans of Settling Disputes Among Men May Obtain Among the Nations.

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 7.—Welcomed by the cheers of thousands, President Taft arrived here this afternoon to attend the Connecticut state fair. He was taken to the state library building, where he was greeted by Governor Baldwin and tendered a luncheon. In introducing the president, Governor Baldwin said.

"The state is proud to welcome today the man who came to Connecticut in his youth for his collegiate education, destined to be the first son of Yale to fill the great office of president. No man since the days of John Quincy Adams ever entered that office with such good training for it; trained, as he was, as a newspaper man, lawyer, internal revenue collector, judge of a state court, judge of a federal court, professor in a law school, solicitor general of the United States, president of the Philippine commission, governor of the Philippines, governor of Cuba and cabinet minister."

Pleads for Peace.

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 7.—"If the senate can not bind itself to submit questions of jurisdiction arising under the treaty as Norway and Sweden have done, for instance, then the prospect of real and substantial progress is most discouraging," asserted President Taft this afternoon in a speech here urging the ratification of the British and French arbitration treaties now pending in the senate.

"I call your attention to the unfortunate circumstances, not only to ourselves, but to the whole civilized world, not only for today, but for ages to come, if the final adoption of this reasoning by the senate committee is to prevail," he said.

The president severely criticized the majority of the senate committee on foreign relations because they refused to give to the joint high commission, provided for by the treaties, the authority to determine just what questions should come before the commission and then to pass finally on those questions. He described as most remarkable the reasoning by which the senators opposed to the treaties had reached the conclusion that the treaties were unconstitutional.

"I can not exaggerate the importance of escaping from the limited and narrow view the majority of the senate committee takes of the powers of the senate in this regard," said the president, "and of securing action by the senate sustaining the minority view.

"Steadily throughout the world the burden of creating armies and fleets has grown heavier and heavier, steadily crushing the life and the hopes of the people. But steadily, too, has grown the hope that an escape from these burdens may be found, that in some measure at least peaceful methods of settling disputes among individual men may obtain among the nations.

Praying for Peace.

"Now, wherever good men and women, the world over, are longing and praying for the dawn of this great day of peace, their eyes turn first with hope and confidence to the great republic of the west, to the land whose ideals are of peace and justice, industry and freedom, to the land which more than any other, has used the peaceful method of arbitration for the settlement of its differences with other nations. In this great movement we are the hope of the world. This hope by the proposed narrow construction of the senate's power to make a treaty, we are now to strike down.

"To the men and women who are struggling and longing, we say 'Look not to us for leadership. We can not even follow. Let other nations arbitrate; let others even set up a high court of nations and pledge their faith that they will resort no more to the dread arbitrament of war, but will abide by the verdict of their chosen judges. The great American nation is unable by its constitution to help forward the great movement; is unable to bind itself to any future broad submission of its case to an arbitral court though the whole world follows this light of civilization and peace.'

"For remember if the senate can not now bind us to abide the judgment of an arbitral court as to whether a question is justifiable, it can never bind us, and if the senate can not bind us, the nation can not bind us and this peace-loving people is forever incapable of taking a step along the great path which all the world wishes to tread and along which all the world thinks America best fitted to lead."

CHANGES MADE IN CATHOLIC CHURCHES

A Papal Bull Names Bishops for Several Cities.

Cleveland, Sept. 7—Coupled with the announcement that Bishop Koudelka had been transferred from his rectorship at St. Michael's church to be auxiliary to Archbishop Messmer, of Milwaukee, came the receipt of a papal bull confirming the naming of Father Joseph Schrembs, of Grand Rapids, as first bishop of the Toledo diocese.

The papal bull also designated St. Francis de Sales church in Toledo as the new cathedral there. Rev. Dr. J. T. O'Connell is now pastor of the church. No date for the consecration of Bishop Schrembs was announced.

Bishop Farrelly also announced that Father A. J. Manning had been transferred from Sandusky to Cleveland. Father Richard Gibbons succeeds Father Manning in Sandusky.

ASTOR'S OFFER LOOKS LIKE EASY MONEY

Astor Offers Pastor $10,000 To Tie the Nuptial Knot.

Newport, R. I., Sept. 7.—Colonel John Jacob Astor and Miss Madeleine Force of New York wanted to be married between Monday and today and Colonel Astor was willing to pay $10,000 for the service and no more.

This was learned from Rev. Edward A. Johnson, pastor of the First Baptist John Clarke Memorial church of this city, who had been asked to perform the ceremony, and who was led to talk when he saw in the afternoon papers a dispatch to the effect that Rev. Frederick Brooks, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Little Compton, R. I., had been asked and had refused to perform the ceremony.

"It was a lot of money to refuse," said Dr. Johnson, "and a big tempta tion for a poor minister, but I did not feel that I could marry the couple whatever was offered.'

Fourteen Dead

New York, Sept. 7.—With fourteen dead already from eating toadstools sold from the push carts as mushrooms, six board of health inspectors today scoured the city intent upon seizing every pound of spurious delicacy they found.

SHUN BACK TO THE FARM IDEA

People Seem To Lose Interest in Country Life.

THE CENSUS BUREAU GIVES THE STATISTICS

Increase in Number of Farms Is Very Small.

Most Remarkable, However, Is the Showing of Increase in Value of Farms, Exclusive of Buildings. Value Is Placed at $13,058,008,000 in 1900 and Now $28,386,770,000.

Washington, Sept. 7.—Strikingly illustrative of the argument that a "back to the farm" movement should be inaugurated, were statistics made public by the census bureau today indicating that during the last ten years, the precentage of increase in number of farms has fallen far behind that of the increase in population.

Not since 1850 has the precentage of increase been so small. According to the census bureau, during the ten-year period beginning in 1900, the population of the nation increased twenty-one per cent. During the same decade the number of farms increased from 5,737,732 to 6,340,457, only 10.5 per cent. Most remarkable however was the showing of the increase in the value of farms. Farm land, exclusive of buildings, was valued at $13,058,008,000 in 1900. In 1910 it was worth $28,386,770,000, an advance of 117 per cent.

The size of farms has increased, according to returns.

A big advance was noted in the value of farm buildings and implements. Hired labor in 1910 absorbed $345,612,000, an increase of eighty per cent over 1900. White farmers operated 5,422,892 of the farms—eighty-five per cent.—while the number operated by negroes and other races was 917,465. Both were slight increases over 1900. Sixty-six per cent. of all farms were reported "free of debt."

BABY BOY COMES TO SOUL-MATE HUNTER

Cornwell Heiress Gives Birth to an Eight-Pound Child.

Newburg, N. Y., Sept. 7.—A baby boy today blessed the union of Mrs. Antonnette Gazzam Galvin, $3,000,000 Cornwell heiress whose quest for a soul-mate ended last year in her marraige to a penniless aqueduct engineer, Charles G. Galvin. The infant, weighing eight pounds, was the picture of health and there was great rejoicing at the Galvin mansion.

During her affinity search, Miss Gazzam became involved in an alienation suit brought by the wife of Professor Niblo, a mystic, through whom the heiress sought her fairy prince. The suit was settled for $50,000 paid to Mrs. Niblo.

To Deliver Reply.

Berlin, Sept 7.—It was expected that Germany's reply to the French proposal regarding the Moroccan controversy would be delivered to Ambassador Cambon this evening, when he meets the German foreign minister.

Has Good Reason.

Washington, Sept. 7.—Because she said her husband suggested that swearing was an antidote for pain and forced her to "cuss," when ill, Mrs. Richard B. Cavanaugh is suing for a divorce.

BIG LANDSLIDE IS PREDICTED

But Canadians Are Unable To Pick Winner.

WILFRID LAURIER HAS TRUMP READY

And Will Play It Within the Next Few Days.

Laurier Will Ask Conservatives To Make Good Their Claim That They Desire Closer Relations with the Mother Country—Proposition Will Please Western Farmers, but May Not the Manufacturers.

Montreal, Sept. 7.—Although reports that come from constituencies from Yukon to Halifax indicate that there is going to be a landslide at the coming election, there is considerable doubt expressed as to which side it will be on.

Supporters of Laurier say that the Conservatives and their Nationalist allies have exhausted their supply of superlatives and that the government has been saving its big ammunition for the late hours. It is said here that within a few days Sir Wilfrid Laurier will play a trump card by calling on the Conservatives to make good their claims that they want better and freer trade relations with Great Britain by announcing that the government will introduce a measure either increasing the British preference to 50 per cent or giving to English goods absolute free entry into Canada.

Such a declaration would meet the expressed wishes of the western grain growers and many sincere imperialists, but it would be a body blow to members of the Canadian Manufacturers' association.

The Jewish rabbis in Montreal have issued a circular letter to the Jewish voters of Canada asking them to support the Laurier government. There are thousands of Jewish voters. The appeal is the result of the bitter anti-semitic utterances of Le Devoir, Henry Bourassa's newspaper, which is fighting Laurier.

SOUTHERNERS THINK BAILEY MEANS IT

Scramble Is on for Texan's Seat in United States Senate.

Austin, Tex, Sept. 7.—The news that Senator J. A. Bailey will not be a candidate for re-election startled the state officials here, but the unanimous sentiment of friends and enemies is that a most disturbing element in Texas politics has been eliminated. The principal subject of discussion is the junior senator's successor and the effect of the breaking up of the Bailey machine, whose supporters will be hardest hit.

The general belief is that Bailey will not change his mind and has really withdrawn from Texas politics. Former Governor Thomas M. Campbell's chances for being nominated by the Democrats as senator from Texas are materially improved by Bailey's withdrawal. Other likely candidates are Congressman Morris Sheppard and C. S. Randall.

TAFT AND CLARK TO BE NOMINEES

"Tama Jim" Wilson Makes That Prediction in Denver.

Denver, Colo., Sept. 7.—William H Taft and Champ Clark are picked by Secretary of Agriculture Wilson as opposing candidates for the presidency in 1912.

"Tama Jim" made this prediction today just before he went to Standley Lake to dedicate the huge private irrigation dam there.

"I want to find out how the West is going," he said. "I think President Taft will be renominated. He deserves it. Champ Clark seems to be the strongest Democratic candidate, although Woodrow Wilson is also strong. Clark, however, has a great following through the thickly-populated Middle West."

Sibley Escapes Trial.

Warren, Pa., Sept. 7.—The case of Former Congressman Joseph C. Sibley, who was charged with conspiracy to debauch voters in the congressional election of 1910, will never be brought to trial. It has been stricken from the records by a nol-pros granted by Judge W. D. Hinckley. The application was made by private counsel for the Warren County Civic league, the prosecutors, and was based upon affidavits of physicians that Mr. Sibley's health probably never will permit him to undergo the ordeal of a trial.

Dies Soon After Nomination.

Fostoria, O., Sept. 7.—Jeremiah Blosser, nominated for councilman on the Democratic ticket, died from peritonitis within 24 hours after the close of the primaries.

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REV. E. L. WEATHERWAX RETURNED TO MARION

Will Continue as Pastor of the Calvary Church.

REV. JOHN HOBSON TO MARION CIRCUIT

Close of the Evangelical Conference at Green Springs—Appointments Made by Bishop Bowman for the Coming Year—Rev. J. Wengerd Retires from the Ministry.

Rev. E. L. Weatherwax was returned to this city as pastor of the Calvary Evangelical church and Rev. John Hobson was returned as pastor of Marion circuit, when the appointments were made by Bishop Bowman at the annual general conference of the Evangelical association at Green Springs, Saturday afternoon. Rev. J. W. Heininger is also returned as presiding elder of the Columbus district, although it is intimated strongly that he may yet be transferred to succeed L. H. Seager as editor of the "Evangelical Herald and Sunday-school Literature." Mr. Seager has taken up work at Naperville college in Illinois.

The Marion ministers of the church have been in attendance at the sessions of the conference since last Tuesday. C. Z. Zachman attended as lay delegate from this city. Bishop Bowman presided over the conference which was brought to a close Sunday

Rev. J. Wengerd, who for several years was pastor of the local congregation, asked to be released and his request was granted. Rev. Mr. Wengerd made the request on account of his age.

The Appointments.

The following are the appointments as made by Bishop Bowman:

Columbus District—J. W. Heininger, presiding elder; J. M. Pricket, Belmore; L. C. Hoover, Benton Ridge; C. H. Kern, Blissfield; H. Brenneman, Bradner; C. W. Ruhlman, Cedar Hill; W. A. Shisler, Circleville; E. George, Columbus; W. H. Munk, Findlay; H. L. Zachman, Lancaster; E. L. Weatherwax, Marion; John Hobson, Marion circuit; W. L. Huddle, Mt. Cory; J. F. Atkinson, Nellie; E. A. Torey, Stoutsville; E. S. Flora, Upper Sandusky; G. W. Miesse, Wagram.

Cleveland—A. W. McCauley, presiding elder; A. F. Tetheroh, Akron; A. F. Beery, Ashland; F. S. Weaver, Butler; W. L. Nauman, Cleveland; J. L. Dallas, Green Springs; E. E. Hunt, Homeworth; S. A. Shisler, Independence; A. C. Stull, Kenmore; J. W. Roth, Lafayette; E. D. Paulin, Mansfield; W. A. Shisler, Marshalville; E. A. Torey, North Lima; E. Wangerd, Trinity; D. L. Caldwell, Warren; J. W. Munk, Wayne; O. J. Stone, West Salem; O. D. Myers, Woodbury; D. Raffene, Wellsville.

Tiffin District—B. E. Reams, Belleville; C. W. Weltmer, Bettsville; Otto Spreng, Bucyrus circuit; W. H. Granuke, Bucyrus Mission J. A. Hensel, Flat Rock; W. H. Link, Fostoria; W. L. Martin, Fremont; W. A. Bada, Gibsonburg; J. N. Steffam, Green Spring; C. H. Vandersall, Lindsay; W. E. Anderson, Mexico; C. E. Lamalia, Napoleon; J. W. Zachman, Perrysburg; A. L. Smithson, Tontogany; A. M. Rickel, Tiffin; J. B. Kanaga, Toledo.

MEN WHO BALKED.

By William T. Ellis.

The International Sunday-School Lesson for September 10 Is "Daniel and His Companions." Daniel 1:8-20.

Great times make great souls. Nebuchadnezzar might have been a conventional kinglet had he come to his throne at a less critical period. In another age, Daniel and his friends would probably have lived and died in Judean obscurity.

Judah was disintegrating. The first exile to Babylon had carried off, among the captives, Daniel and his three companions, all choice young men from the capital. Babylon was raging over the whole earth; but she was nearer to her fall than her proud king and nobles dreamed.

This group of four prisoners doubtless appeared to any observer to be only an inconsiderable fragment of the consequences of a minor Babylonian campaign. In truth, they meant more to the world, in some aspects, than did Nebuchadnezzar himself. There is a sense in which Daniel is bigger than Babylon. There are millions of persons who have only hazy notions of when and where Babylon existed, to whom Daniel is a real personality, with a living influence on their own characters. This is one more of the reversals of history; one of the paradoxes which illustrates the scripture teaching that the first shall be last, and the last first. Babylon is today a heap of red mud, save where painstaking German excavators have dug out the ruins of Nebuchadnezzar's palace. Daniel is still one of the character-forming leaders of history.

We wonder what Daniel thought of Babylon, and what Babylon thought of Daniel. The former is more important. New York gives scant heed to the immigrants who weekly throng within her gates, and she would disdain the opinion of every one of them. Nevertheless, it is not at all unlikely that among these alien throngs is some prophet-author who is yet to arise and give the truest judgment of America, and of its metropolis at the nation's gateway. The man who was kind to Daniel and his friends lives in the immortal record by that fact, while the names of all his mightier associates are forgotten. It is good policy, as well as hospitality, to pay Christian heed to the stranger who has come to a strange land.

Captives for a Royal Court.

The worth of the conquered is the glory of the conqueror. The pick of the exiles which Nebuchadnezzar brought from his various conquests were set apart to adorn his court. The valor, beauty, wit and wisdom of his captives were a distinct gratification and tribute to the king. There were reasons of pride as well as of prudence for gathering in personal attendance upon himself those who would appear to be leaders of the exiles whom he had brought from Babylon.

These favored ones were sure of an easy life. True, they were still captives, but they were rose-garlanded captives on soft couches. What this meant to the deterioration of their character, since there is no atmosphere so enervating as that of a palace, no thought was taken. Who cared if this favoritism resulted in the moral collapse of the four young Hebrews and their associates?

An Unselfish Selfishness.

The grim fact is that nobody is particularly interested in the highest welfare of a person except himself. It may be an unusual lesson to draw from the story of Daniel, but it is a true one; that there is a sense in which everybody should "Look out for Number One." That proverb is commonly quoted as of ignoble import. It may have an exalted meaning, however. One's noblest self must be conserved and cultivated by one's own efforts. Family and associates are not always friends to the best development of one's life. The most altruistic people will drain one's powers ruthlessly, in order to serve the cause in which they themselves are most interested

Every person has to fight a ceaseless battle to keep his powers for their highest use. He alone can care for his own health and for his own mental and spiritual growth. If he has not the decision of character to say "no," to even good tasks, he will be crushed beneath the extra burdens which are not his proper work. It takes the spine of a Daniel to be able to be "different," and to preserve one's individuality for its divine ends.

The Parable of the Bandar-Log.

Consider the promising authors who have been made shipwrecks by social attentions. As the Bandar-log, or monkey folk of the tree top, carried away Mowgli captive, so many another leader of the jungle has been kidnaped to be the plaything of chattering society. The peril which confronted Daniel and his friends was that they should become the wits and pampered favorites of Nebuchadnezzar's court, but at the price of their religious faith, their national identity and their moral character.

It is a sound philosophy of life to save one's best powers for their continued and highest use. Wisdom sacrifices the praise of today for the prosperity of tomorrow. Good times in youth are sweet, but not half so sweet as comfort and pleasure in old age. Daniel, who was a student of his own powers, was brave enough to take care of his abilities for the wisest employment he could make of them. He risked being unpopular for the sake of becoming powerful. The court of Nebuchadnezzar did not know it, but Daniel was planning better things for them than they were planning for themselves. They had no thought above securing one of the conventional courtiers to ornament the palace; Daniel saw the possibility of becoming a statesman and a seer. He rejected the good for the sake of the best.

"Fit" for a Big Fight.

The panic of the prince of eunuchs when Daniel told him that he wanted to go on a vegetable diet, instead of being fed up like a prize porker, is rather amusing. He, like nine hundred and ninety-nine persons out of every thousand in the world, was afraid of originality. He only knew the conventional way of doing things. He distrusted "peculiar" people. So does society. The world today is just as inhospitable to originality as it was in the court of Nebuchadnezzar five hundred years before Christ. The magazines and newspapers are afraid of originality; so are the churches and the colleges. Pioneers always have had to combat the crowd.

It is a great day for the human race when a man appears who dares to be different, who is not annoyed by being singular, and who has his eyes so fixed upon the goal of a great life for himself and a great service for mankind, that he disdains Mrs. Grundy, and all her shopworn conventionalities. He wants a hard fight and the thick of the battle.

The Test for Temperance.

The "laboratory method" of modern scholarship was proposed by Daniel and his friends. The prince of eunuchs wanted him to live on rich wines and foods. All these were contrary to his upbringing as a Jew. He preferred the abstemious diet. Millions of persons in the world live on vegetables and vegetables alone, and Daniel knew he could do it. He proposed to put the matter to the test.

In the present day his theory would be called pragmatism; that is to say, the proof of the thing is in its working. If abstemiousness made Daniel and his friends better looking and more "fit" than gluttony, then it was fair to accept his proposition for an abstemious life.

Any honest man is bound to accept this doctrine. A deal of prejudice and passion and partizanship encumbers the discussion of the temperance question. Daniel and the pragmatist should be listened to. Is temperance good or is it bad? Are men better or are they worse for indulging in strong drink?

Certainly the abstainers are worse if they grow narrow and censorious and Pharasaical and intellectually dishonest. Assuredly the non-abstainers are worse if by indulgence they become unreasoning in their mental attitude, as well as impaired in their physical fibre. Let us find out the facts. Quit arguing according to prejudices, and try the honester way. Is Prohibition a good thing? That question is not to be settled by one's own taste or distaste for liquor; or by one's affiliations, but by an honest sifting of the evidence. Has the abolition of the canteen been good for the soldiers or bad? That subject ought to be within the realm of ascertainable facts.

The time has come to abide by the conclusions of honest research. Christianity is a religion of the square deal. Its heroes are the Daniels, and the Greater One who said, "Ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." It has always submitted its own claims to the ripest scholarship of every age. It would put all things to the test.

Standing Before the King.

If the Christian workman is not at least a shade better as a workman than his non-Christian companion, then something is wrong somewhere. Efficiency is not the only test of character, but it is one test. It is said, and with some reason, that the Christian converts in heathen lands are not the best servants. Thoughtful missionaries, instead of flying into a fervid repudiation of this, are using the criticism for the upbuilding of their converts. A religious worker once had a pious secretary who, when her employer was not around, read the Bible for hours in the midst of neglected duties. When she was discharged she lost her temper and questioned his religion for turning adrift a fellow Christian! The real proof of her faith would have been good work; she thought it was going to meeting, and humming tunes, and having "beautiful thoughts" about the Bible.

The vindication of Daniel and his crowd was that they led the field. They were the winners in the race. Their principles worked out. The king himself found none others like them amid all his courtiers: "Therefore stood they before the king." They were ten times fitter than the drinking, gormandizing and carousing crew of luxurious-lived palace attendants. High thinking, clean living, simple trust in God, fortified by uncompromising principle, always bring men to the best estate. The Daniels who dare to be themselves, and to fly their flags everywhere, do come to stand before kings.

REMARKABLE PHOTOGRAPH OF RESCUE AT SEA AND VIEW OF SINKING SCHOONER

CAPTAIN EDMUND KEMBLE of the S S MOHAWK

PHOTOS BY MISS KATHRYN GREGORY

CHEERING THE RESCUED CREW WHEN THE LIFEBOAT ARRIVED ALONGSIDE THE SS. MOHAWK

Swamped by the tornado that swept over Charleston and Savannah, the four masted schooner Malcolm B. Seavey, bound from Tampa, Fla., for Baltimore, was sighted by the steamship Mohawk, of the Clyde line, in the nick of time to save seven of her crew of eight, one having been lost when the stern mast snapped in a high sea. While the men clung to the masts with a white rag of distress at the top two steamers passed without sighting them. They were in the last stage of distress when the Mohawk picked them up. Captain Edmund Kemble was in command of the Mohawk, and he received a great ovation when the rescued men were taken aboard his vessel.

AERO GUN DEVISED TO VANQUISH INVADING AEROPLANE.

NEW AERO GUN OF THE NAVY DEPARTMENT.

That the United States navy now has a gun capable of destroying any aeroplanes known to-day or likely to be invented in the near future is the belief of the officials of the Navy Department. It is the one-pounder designed by Rear Admiral Nathan C. Twining, chief of the Bureau of Ordnance, which has undergone its first tests at the naval proving ground at Indian Head within the last few days.

The invention by which invading aeroplanes are to be vanquished is the remarkable carriage device, which, by means of hydraulic cylinders and powerful springs, takes up all of the combined recoil of shot and gravity, allowing the steel braces to escape the shock. The gun can be placed on wheels as well as on board ship

COMMON PLEAS COURT.

L. D. Spafford, of Lucas county, has filed an answer in the suit of Jesse Hess against Mary A. Pyor and others. He denies that the premises described in the petition by the plaintiff were sold and conveyed to J. J. Pratt by the answering defendant, and further denies that he covenanted in writing or in any other manner to assume to pay off the mortgage and note set forth in the petition. He asks that the plaintiff's petition be dismissed.

In the divorce suit of Lucinda Reeves against Charles N. Reeves, the defendant has filed a motion to require the plaintiff to make her petition more definite and certain as to whether they were living together as man and wife, July 22, 1911.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Lucinda Miller, plaintiff-in-error, against Susanna Conclin defendant-in-error, is the title of a suit begun in the circuit court by Attorneys DeGolley & DeGolley Saturday. The plainaiff, against whom the defendant got judgment in the common pleas court, sets up eight different grounds of error. The plaintiff seeks to set aside a deed.

BIRTHS.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Milton Kelly, of east George street, Thursday afternoon, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nelson, residing on east George street, are the parents of a son born Thursday afternoon.

Myers Is Sentenced.

Charles Myers, a farm hand, pleaded guilty to a charge of failing to provide for his three children before Justice C. E. Gompf, Monday morning, and was sentenced to ninety days in the Dayton workhouse. The sentence was suspended on Myers furnishing a bond to pay for the support of the children. Myers was arrested on complaint of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Carl Nye. He was prosecuted by the Marion County Humane society.

A Small Blaze.

The central fire department was called out, about 7:15 o'clock Monday morning, to extinguish a fire at the Irvin McQuisten home on Fies avenue. The blaze was caused by a pipe located too close to a partition. The damage will amount to about $100.

A marriage license has been issued to Miss Sylvia Hemmerly and Perry Shuster.

MESSENGER REUNION ATTRACTS BIG CROWD

Many Relatives Assemble in the Messenger Grove.

The Thirteenth annual Messenger reunion was held in the Everett Messenger grove, two miles north of Big Island, Friday. About eighty-five friends and relatives were present.

The program was opened with a song by the family. Everett Messenger offered prayer, after which the opening address was delivered by the president. The response was made by Everett Robinson. Dinner was then served. After dinner the program was continued.

Miss Mayme Messenger rendered piano solos, and the family history was read by Mrs. Harriet McDorman. Miss Driscol and Miss Starner rendered a duet and Mrs. Harriet McDorman sang a solo. After round-table talks, a business session was held and the following officers were elected:

J. E. Messenger, president; Colonel Messenger, vice president; Grace Messenger, secretary; Mrs. Susan Smith, treasurer; Mrs. Harriet McDorman, historian; William Warrington, assistant historian; N. J. Messenger, Lewis Larcomb, Otis Messenger and Reuben Messenger, executive committee.

Those present from a distance were Frank Hoffer, of Paulding; Henry Messenger, of Cassopolis, Michigan; L. T. Messenger, of Forest; L. A. Larcomb, of Upper Sandusky; Alice Messenger, of Toledo; L. Southwick and son, of Aliquppa, Pennsylvania; Mr. and Mrs. Foster Messenger and Mr. and Mrs. Newton Messenger, of Upper Sandusky; E. M. Robinson, of Lafayette; Mrs. Newton McDorman, of Herrod; O. C. Messenger and Mrs. A. C. Messenger, of DeCliff; Harry Irwin, of Bellewood, Pennsylvania.

POSTAL EMPLOYES FORM BIG UNION

A New Movement Is Started at Meeting in Columbus.

Columbus, O., Sept. 4.—At a meeting held in the United States court room, there was launched a new organization among postal employes, to be known as the National Association of Postal Employes. The object of the association is to combine the different postal organizations under one body, still maintaining their individual associations as heretofore.

The intention is to include the letter carriers, rural free delivery carriers, the railway mail clerks and the postoffice clerks under one body. The meeting was attended by representatives of these bodies from Columbus, Cincinnati, Toledo and other cities of Ohio. After effecting a temporary organization the meeting adjourned until Oct. 22, when they will again meet in this city for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization.

ROBERT COLEMAN IS KILLED AT GILLSBURG

Lad Formerly Resides with His Parents Here.

Relatives here have received word of the death of Robert Coleman, aged sixteen, who was killed at his home at Gillsburg, Illinois, Saturday night. The message did not state the cause of the accident.

Young Coleman was a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Coleman who resided in this city until about one and a half years ago when they moved to Gillsburg. He was a grandson of Thomas Booth, of north Main street.

MRS. ELLEN WESTON LOSES HER HOME

House Near Owens Is Destroyed by Fire Sunday.

The home of Mrs. Ellen Weston, west of Owens, was destroyed by fire about noon, Sunday. The fire is supposed to have started from an overheated flue as dinner was being prepared at the time. Nearly all the contents were destroyed.

Auditor's Office, Marion County, Ohio.
Marion, Aug. 28th., A. D. 1911.

NOTICE TO NON RESIDENT LOT OR LAND OWNERS.

In the matter of deepening, widening and straightening of a County Ditch Petitioned for by E. B. Brewer, Cora Brewer, Ozias Washburn, Darius Washburn, Jake Barnthouse and Geo. W. Williams: You, and each of you are hereby notified that E. B. Brewer filed a petition with the Auditor of Marion County, the prayer of which is for the deepening, widening and straightening of a County Ditch on the following route and termini, to-wit:—beginning on the land of E. B. Brewer in the N. E. corner of the S. W. quarter of section 22, Salt Rock township; thence on a south easterly course through said Brewers land and crossing a north and south road and continuing said course on to the land of said Brewer to a county ditch and there tereminating or far enough to give a good and sufficient outlet.

The Commissioners viewed the aforesaid premises on the 21st., day of Aug. 1911, and found for said improvement as follows: the S. W. branch to be changed far enough back and new tile put in to give a good outlet and the same to be done to the N. W. branch, and then put in a 24 inch tile from there to outlet, tile to be put in north of open ditch and north of bridge.

You are also notified that the hearing on the engineer's report will be held at the County Commissioners' office. Friday, September 15, 1911, at one o'clock p. m.

C. L. ALLEN, County Auditor.
287-th-wk-3

SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

The School Examiners of Marion county, Ohio, will meet for the examination of teachers at the Central school building, Saturday,

OCTOBER 7
NOVEMBER 4
DECEMBER 2

Examinations commence at 8:00 a. m. and no application will be received after 10 a. m. All examinations will be written and positively no private examinations will be granted. A fee of 50 cents will be charged on admission to the examination and each applicant will furnish an envelope, stamped and addressed to him or herself, in which a certificate or notice of failure will be forwarded. Applicants will be graded on a scale of 100. No certificate will be granted when the grade in any branch falls below 70. An average of 75 with a minimum of 70 secures a certificate for one year. 85 with a minimum of 80 and twelve months' experience secures a certificate for two years. 90 with a minimum of 85 and twenty-four months' experience secures a certificate for thr-e years. 95 with a minimum of 90 and thirty-six months' experience secures a certificate for 5 years. An average of 98 with a minimum of sixty months' experience, secures tificate for 8 years.

Success in the school room w be taken into consideration in mining the class of certificate.

R. B. Bell, Pres.
W. P. Moloney, Vice
S. W. Almendinger,

BOND SALE.

The Osbun Joint County Free
pike Road.
Marion, Ohio, August 2
Sealed proposals will be recei
the office of H. Edmund Hill, in
of Marion, Marion County, Ohi
12 o'clock noon, September 1
the purchase of twenty-seven
amounting to nineteen thousan
hundred dollars ($19,700.00) said
be known as "The Osbun Joint
Free Turnpike Road Bonds," all
bonds to be dated October 2, 1911
come due and payable as follows
before the following amounts.
Bond No. 1, for $540, due Marc
Bond No. 2, for $540, due Sept
1912.
Bond No. 3, for $570, due Marc
Bond No. 4, for $570, due Sept
1913.
Bond No. 5, for $590, due Marc
Bond No. 6, for $599, due Sept
1914.
Bond No. 7, for $620, due Marc
Bond No. 8, for $620, due Sept
1915.
Bond No. 9, for $660, due Marc
Bond No. 10, for $660, due Sept
1916.
Bond No. 11, for $690, due Marc
Bond No. 12, for $699, due Sep
1917.
Bond No. 13, for $720, due Marc
Bond No. 14, for $720, due Sep
1918.
Bond No. 15, for $760, due Marc
Bond No. 16, for $760, due Sep
1919.
Bond No. 17, for $800, due Marc
Bond No. 18, for $800, due Sep
1920.
Bond No. 19, for $840, due Marc
Bond No. 20, for $840, due Sep
1921.
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Bond No. 22, for $880, due Sep
1922.
Bond No. 23, for $920, due Mar
Bond No. 24, for $920, due Sep
1923.
Bond No. 25, for $960, due Mar
Bond No. 26, for $960, due Sep
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South—5:50 a. m.; 7:30 a.
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*Daily except Sunday.
†Runs to Marion only.

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Southwest—10:37 a. m.; 5:
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East—5:08 a. m.; 12:58 p.
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West—10:25 a. m.; 11:05 a
m.; *10:30 p. m.
East—5:08 a. m.; *†9:05 a
m.; 5:07 p. m.
*Daily except Sunday.
†Runs to Marion only.
‡Runs to Ohio City only.

PENNSYLVAN
Northbound—*7:26 a. m.;
*6:32 p. m; †7:43 a. m.;
†8:28 p. m.
Southbound—a10:18 a. m.
*7:38 p. m.; †8:08 p. m.; †
*Daily except Sunday. †
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BIG FOUR.
Eastbound—9:25 a. m.; 1
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Westbound—5:08 a. m.;
1:55 p. m.; 7:18 p. m.; *9:
*Daily except Sunday.

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MRS. FRED S. TITUS IS FOUND DEAD IN ROOM

Heart Trouble the Cause of Death.

GREAT SHOCK TO RELATIVES AND FRIENDS

Husband Was in Baltimore — It Is Thought Victim Is Dead a Week Before Body Is Discovered—Announcement Comes as a Great Shock to Friends Here.

Mrs Nan Titus, wife of Fred S. Titus, formerly of this city and a son of Major and Mrs. S. N. Titus, of south Prospect street, was found dead in a room at No. 9½ south Front street, Columbus, Saturday morning at 1:30 o'clock. The body was found by a patrolman, who was asked tomake an investigation by J. Verner, who rooms across the hall from the Titus suite, on the third floor of the building Verner had been suspicious for a day or two that all was not right in her apartments.

The dead woman's husband was in Baltimore, where he went a short time ago to accept a position. The Tituses had lived on Front street only a short time, having secured the rooms temporarily while Mr. Titus went to Baltimore to take his new position as a traveling salesman.

The first news of Mrs. Titus' death was learned by Major and Mrs Titus in this city through a Columbus newspaper In talking to a Star reporter, Saturday, Mrs. Titus said her son had gone to Baltimore to work as a traveling salesman and that "they had secured the rooms on Front street just for a short time until they could get settled in the East."

Shock to Friends.

The news of the death came as a great shock to the woman's relatives in this city. Mrs. Titus stated that the dead woman's people live in Wheeling, West Virginia.

The husband was notified in Baltimore, and went to Columbus.

Major Titus went to Columbus, Saturday morning.

The father and mother of the dead woman are dead. Her maiden name was Cleary. She was raised by her grandmother, Mrs. D. Wagner, of Wheeling, West Virginia.

Mrs. Fred Titus was formerly Miss Nan Delaplaine, and was married to Mr. Titus a number of years ago. For a time, they lived in this city.

The door of the room adjoining that in which Mrs Titus was found, was unlocked. The body lay on the floor, clad only in a night robe, with no indication of the cause of death, save that a few drops of dried blood were found on the post of her bed.

Verner says he last saw Mrs. Titus alive Saturday, **August 26.** She was then on the stairway, he said. Mrs C. Dodsall, who conducts the rooming-house, says she saw very little of her at any time and was not disturbed because she had not seen her or heard her about her rooms for several days.

Dies of Heart Trouble.

It was originally planned to bring the body of Mrs. Fred S. Titus, who was found dead in her room, No. 9½ south Front street, Columbus, early Saturday morning, to this city, but instead it was taken to Rock Hill, Belmont county, where burial was made beside Mrs Titus' mother.

The mystery surrounding Mrs. Titus' death was cleared on the arrival of her husband from Baltimore He said she died from heart disease and this statement was later borne out by the coroner's verdict. Dr. James Wilson McMurray, of this city, who attended Mrs. Titus when she became ill while visiting here, stated that death must have been due to heart disease, late Saturday afternoon.

Soon after Mr. Titus arrived in Columbus from Baltimore he reported to the police that several hundred dollars' worth of jewelry were missing It was later accounted for, a part of it having been in the hands of the coroner.

Former State Senator David Wagner, of Bridgeport, grandfather of Mrs Titus, and David Cleary, of Wheeling, West Virginia, her brother, accompanied the funeral party to Rock Hill.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE WEDDED MONDAY

Miss Hazel E. Wottring and Mr. G. Karl Filiatrault.

Miss Hazel E. Wottring, daughter of Mrs W. C. Wottring, of east Center street, and Mr. G. Karl Filiatrault, a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H Filiatrault, of east Center street, were united in marriage Monday morning at 6:45 o'clock, by Rev. Father Joseph Denning at his residence on north Main street. They were accompanied by the groom's sister and brother, Miss Mayme and Mr. Edward J. Filiatrault.

Immediately after the ceremony the young people left for Buckeye lake, where they will enjoy a two-weeks outing. On their return they will reside with the bride's mother.

Mrs. Filiatrault is a lovable young woman and her marriage will come as a pleasant surprise to her large circle of friends. Mr. Filiatrault is a young man of sterling qualities and is popular with his friends and acquaintances. He is employed as a clerk at the J. Strelitz Sons' store.

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THE BRINKER FAMILY HOLDS ITS REUNION

Gathering at the Home of Wesley Free Saturday.

THE DAY IS GIVEN TO SOCIAL PLEASURES

The Family Has No Regular Organization—A Large Company of Relatives Enjoys a Chicken Dinner. The Arrangements for the Reunion To Be Held Next Saturday.

The annual reunion of the Brinker family was held at the home of Wesley Free, on the Garden City pike, Saturday, twenty-eight families being represented. The day was pleasantly passed in a social way. At the noon hour, a big dinner of chicken and all the good things of the farm was served.

The Brinker family reunion has no organization of officers. The reunion is held annually and a splendid time is always had. Mrs. L. M. Boxwell, whose maiden name of Brinker, and her brother, T. H. Brinker, are the only two Brinkers left in this once big family of that name. They were at the reunion. The others present were relatives of the Brinkers.

It was decided to hold next year's reunion at the home of T H Brinker at Green Camp, the first Saturday in September.

Those present at Saturday's reunion were: Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Walker and son, Bradley, of Deteroit, Michigan; Gladys Walker, of Beeville, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Brinker, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. David Fletcher and son, Frederick, of Green Camp; Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Boxwell and sons, Del. and Tutus, Mr and Mrs. J. F. Johnston and children, Geneva, Genave and Harley, Mrs. L. M. Boxwell, Mr. and Mrs. G F. Gast, Mr and Mrs. J. H. Johnston and Josephine Johnston, of Prospect; Mrs. Elizabeth Sifritt and William Sifritt, of Raymond; Mrs. Eli Porter and grandson, Delcy, of Alger; Mr. and Mrs. William E. Millisor and children, Verne, Arden and Willis, of La Rue; Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Walker and children, Genevieve, Geneva, Naomi, Charles and Nelson, Mr. and Mrs G. E McCormick and children, Lotus-Lily and Junior, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bolander and daughter, Audrey, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Free and sons, Frank and William, Mr. and Mrs Clarence Porter and son, Ronald, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Harlow and daughters, Margaret and Isabelle, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Walker, Mrs. J. P Thatcher, Mrs. Dessie W. Williams and children, Ralph and Katherine, Mrs. D. Alonzo, Hazel Boxwell, Gertrude Walters and Jennie Kimber, of Marion; Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Rusler, and daughter, Hester, of Agosta.

SWITCHMAN JONES LOSES HIS LEFT ARM

Member So Badly Crushed It Is Amputated.

AN ACCIDENT ON THE HOCKING VALLEY

Jones Is a Member of Very Unfortunate Family—One Brother Loses an Arm Here and Another Brother Is Killed—A Brotherin-Law Loses a Foot.

Fay Jones, a switchman in the local yards of the Hocking Valley, met with a serious accident while on extra duty, Sunday morning, about 12:25 o'clock as a result of which he is minus his left arm.

Jones was acting as conductor of the yard crew at the time of the accident, in place of the regular conductor who was off duty. The crew was handling some cars a short distance north of the union depot near a handcar house, and had done a part of the work, when as Jones was running alongside the cars, he fell over a pile of rails. In falling, Jones was caught under the cars and his left arm was crushed almost to a pulp. He was immediately transferred to the Dr C. E. Sawyer sanatorium in the Hess & Markert ambulance, where it was found necessary to amputate the member half way between the elbow and shoulder. Jones suffered greatly from loss of blood before he was given the necessary surgical attention

The accident is one of many similar accidents occurring in the family. About eight years ago, Melvin Jones, a brother, who for many years was in the employ of the Erie, had his right arm taken off and about four years since, Roy F Jones, another brother, an employe of the Hocking Valley, was killed here. A brother-in-law of Melvin Jones. S. J. Jones, had a foot taken off at Kenton on the Erie not long ago.

Wins Several Prizes.

W. D. Whipps took first prize on twenty-five different varieties of potatoes last week at the Ohio state fair. He also took first prize on half a bushel of potatoes raised at the Waddel Children's home. He also took several prizes on corn raised at different places over Marion county.

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QUESTIONS FOR THOSE WHO WISH TO TEACH

Applicants for Certificates Are Given a Test.

AN EXAMINATION HELD SATURDAY

The Test Is Prepared by the State School Commissioner To Show the Mental Qualifications of Those Who Seek Positions as Teachers in the Schools.

Following is the list of questions as prepared under direction of the state commissioner of public schools, and submitted at the county examination for teachers Sept. 2, for elementary school certificates:

ARITHMETIC.

1. How many 3 in. cubes can be placed in a cubical box one yard deep?
2. At what must I buy 5 per cent stock to realize 6 per cent on my investment?
3. A, B, and C have $99. A has 2-3 as much as B. plus $12: B has 2-3 as much as C plus $18; how much has each?
4. How many cubic feet of hay in a conical haystack 18 feet in diameter and 16 feet high?
5. By selling eggs at 16 cents a doz. I will gain 28 cents; but if they be sold at 10 cents a dozen I will lose 20 cents. What was the cost per dozen?
6. A rectangular field is 50 rods long and 32 rods wide. What are the dimensions of a similar field whose area is 90 acres?
7. A strip 10 rods wide was plowed around a square field. The dimensions of the field were 40 rods. What fraction of the field was plowed?
8. Two numbers are as 9 and 7 and their sum is 80. What are the numbers?
9. The longitude of Calcutta is 90 degrees east; the longitude of Washington is 77 degrees west; when it is noon at Washington what is the time at Calcutta?
10. A lady spent $20 more than 2-7 of her money and had $80 left; how much had she at first?

READING.

The Examiners will conduct an oral examination in Reading.

The Examiner will question the applicant concerning their current reading, concerning the magazines they read, and concerning their method of conducting a reading lesson in their school.

Applicants for a Four Year Provisional Certificate under the Hawkins' Law will be required to write the following questions in addition to their oral test

1. Explain your method of teaching a poem to a fourth year class.
2. What should a class know about reading at the end of their first year in school?
3. Explain what you would do with a class of ten in reading if they showed different qualifications at the end of the first month.
4. Should reading or study be silent when a second year class reads their lesson in preparation?
5. Explain President Taft's reasons for vetoing the first bill that would have made New Mexico and Arizona states

PHYSIOLOGY.

1. Explain in full how muscles are fastened to the bones.
2. What is the value of absorption? Explain by examples.
3. Name and locate the bones of the skull.
4. How does reflex action aid a person in walking? Explain reflex action
5. Explain the construction of the heart by diagram or otherwise.
6. Name all the digestive juices, and the function of each.
7. Explain your method of ventilation in a school house.
8. Name four texts on Physiology and designate the one you teach.
9. What is the function of the kidneys?
10. Distinguish between contagious and infectious diseases.

UNITED STATES HISTORY, INCLUDING CIVIL GOVERNMENT.

1. Discuss fully the settlement of Pennsylvania
2. What was the Boston Massacre? Give the causes and results
3. State what great principles Alexander Hamilton championed.
4. Who were the "Carpetbaggers"? The Abolitionists?
5. What were the reasons Lincoln gave for issuing his Proclamation of Emancipation?
6. What great principles have divided the two leading political parties since 1892?
7. Give a clear explanation of the initiative and referendum.
8. Locate the 'Statue of Liberty," "McKinley's Monument"
9. Explain the details of the purchase of Louisiana
10. Write a short sketch of James A. Garfield.

THEORY AND PRACTICE.

1. Explain the division of fractions as you would to a fifth grade pupil.
2. Give a brief explanation of your method of teaching the administrations in history.
3. What is the teacher's duty during intermissions?
4. Explain the law concerning the authority a teacher has over pupils coming to and going from school.
5. For what offences may a board of education dismiss a teacher
6. Can attention be forced? How do you hold the attention of a class?
7. Distinguish between stupidity and indolence.
8. How many years should physiology be taught in the elementary schools? Give reasons for your answer.

9-10. Discuss your method of promoting pupils. (a) The pupils that are above the average. (b) The average (c) The dull, the stupid, the indifferent, the indolent, the imbecile.

LITERATURE.

1. Write two short quotations from Tennyson, and tell from what the quotation was taken.
2. Name ten poems written by Longfellow.
3. Show in a brief paragraph that you have read "The Lady of the Lake."
4. Who were the following writers: Thoreau? Byron?
5. In what novels are the following characters found: Hepzibah, Natty Bumppo, Ichabod Crane, Friar Lawrence, and Uriah Heep?
6. Along what lines did Emerson write? Name two of his best writings.
7. What is a comedy? A drama? A sonnet?
8. Write a short biography of J. G. Whittier.
9. Show briefly the lesson you would draw from "The Vision of Sir Launfal" in teaching this poem to an eighth grade class.
10. Name four supplementary books you would advise a boy of fourteen to read.

GEOGRAPHY.

1. What is the area of Ohio? What is the average elevation of Ohio?
2. What part of Ohio was influenced by glacial action?
3. Give the approximate distance from New York to Liverpool. From New York to Chicago.
4. Account for the temperate climate of the Mediterranean countries.
5. State the principal reasons why Pittsburgh is a great steel manufacturing city.
6. Compare the areas of Texas and Rhode Island.
7. Name the Rocky Mountain states and their capitals.
8. What is the approximate area of Alaska? Name Alaska's largest city and largest river.
9. Name four great wool producing states of the United States.
10. Locate the following cities of Ohio: Fremont, Youngstown, Ironton, Washington C. H, and Lima.

GRAMMAR.

1. Explain the difference between the etymology and the syntax of words.
2. Are infinitives and participles classified as parts of speech?
3. What is your opinion of how the infinitive and participle should be classed?
4. Show by an outline that you understand the classification of the adjective.
5. Show by sentences the difference in modification of adjectives and adverbs.
6. Show the value of analysis and synthesis in the study of grammar.
7. Write a simple sentence A complex sentence. A compound sentence.
8. Make a list of twenty prepositions.
9. Write the following words in sentences: first, as nouns; second, as adjectives; third, as verbs; stone, block, and hurt
10. Analyze or diagram: It is worth the effort to be honest.

WRITING.

Write the following quotation as a specimen of your penmanship.

"Every book we read may be made a round in the ever-lengthening ladder by which we climb to knowledge and to that temperance and serenity of mind which, as it is the ripest fruit of wisdom is also the sweetest."—James Russell Lowell

ORTHOGRAPHY.

1. Mark diacritically: calliope, plaudit, item, fertilize, mirth.
2. Distinguish between a vocal and vowel.
3. Write five words and two synonyms for each of the five words.

4-5. Define the first ten words given orally as a test of your spelling.

6-10. Spell: Citadel, saccharine, axiom, coupon, cartilage, scrupulize, thermometer, octillion, pacifier, grievance, diaphragm, Jehovah, consummate, phenomena, polar, plateau, enrollment, ensilage, Sierra Nevada, Faneuil.

Vermont's Mountain Visitors.

The record of 1,000 visitors to the peak of Mt. Mansfield this season is full indication of the popularity of the Green mountains. The number of visitors to Mt. Killington and other principal eminences would be multiplied, almost indefinitely if the way of access were made easier to tourists. Some day Vermont will make a good deal more of its show places, including its mountain peaks, and when that time comes thousands of additional summer visitors will be attracted to the state

Compulsory Domestic Service.

Fraulein Pauline Werner is leading a movement in Germany to require all girls to do compulsory domestic service, just as the young men do compulsory military service A bill recently introduced in congress provides for a domestic science bureau in connection with the department of agriculture and also proposes that domestic science shall be taught in all public schools.

Rexroth Reunion.

Miss Elizabeth Rexroth, of this city, was elected secretary at the seventh annual reunion of the Rexroth family at Seccalum park, Wednesday. The annual reunions have all been held at Seccalum park.

SERIES OF COUNTRY BURGLARIES REPORTED

Houses Ransacked While People Are Absent.

BUSY DAY IN THE LOCAL POLICE COURT

A Number of Men Are Landed in the City Prison on Various Charges. William McInerow Returns to the City and Is Taken into Custody. Other Police Court Notes.

A series of country burglaries occurred, Sunday afternoon, and the police are in search of a couple of parties who are suspicioned of having committed the thefts.

The home of Benjamin Klingle, south of the city, was entered. The members of the family were away and the thieves ransacked the house. A horse-hair chain and a Knights of Pythias charm are missing. The trunk of the hired man was also broken open, but at the time the robbery was reported it was not known whether anything had been taken

The home of Harry Kries, on the mud pike and not far from the Klingle residence was also entered during the afternoon. At that place, between nine and ten dollars in small change and a silver watch were stolen. W. E. Mautz, who also resides in the vicinity on the Firstenberger road, reported that his house had been entered while the family was away, Sunday afternoon. Between two and three dollars and two stick pins were stolen.

Walter Patton, who runs a garage on Mill street, reported to the police, Sunday evening, that some person had been in the habit of entering the garage and taking machines out at night. Sunday night, Officers Powell and Shrock watched the place and about 11 o'clock some fellows entered the garage and drove out with a large touring car. The officers notified Patton, and he waited their return to the garage. When the party drove in, the occupants were much surprised to find Patton. A fight started in which Patton came out victorious and a few minutes later four of the fellows were arrested by the officers They gave their names as Cad Nealford, Neal King, Ora Hill and J. Russell. The former is twenty years old and the others twenty-three. One of the fellows is employed by Patton as a helper. Patton intends filing an affidavit against them

Seven affidavits on charges of bootlegging were filed in the mayor's court, Saturday evening. Three of the charges are against Charles Miller, charging him with selling whisky on July 5, 7 and 11. Two affidavits were filed against David Washam and John Walsh, jointly, one against M J. Burke and one against John Hoctor, who conducts a restaurant in the West End. Burke appeared, Monday, and entered a plea of not guilty and his hearing will probably be held Monday Hoctor entered a similar plea and his hearing was set for Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Miller plead not guilty to the charges against him, his hearing on the first count being fixed for Friday afternoon, and on the others, for Saturday morning. The affidavits for the warrants were sworn to by Chief Klinefelter

William "Bill" McInerow, who was found guilty of bootlegging in the mayor's court in July, and who jumped his bond of $600 just before the time arrived for the passing of sentence by the mayor, was arrested Monday morning by Officer Thompson. McInerow probably returned to attend the Bill picnic, but instead is occupying a cell in the prison. He will be sentenced by the mayor and unless he can arrange a settlement will be sent to the workhouse.

A woman named Wilson, who resides at the corner of Patten and Patterson streets, called the police, Sunday night, to arrest Lancoln Gallegher, a boarder at her home. Gallegher went to his boarding house with a fighting jag and according to the woman knocked her down, kicked her son, abused a lady visitor and started to break up housekeeping. She promised to appear Monday morning, and file a charge against Gallegher, but on her failure to appear he was arraigned and fined on a charge of intoxication and disorderly conduct.

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WILLIAM E. GLATHART TAKEN TO THE ASYLUM

Worry Over Business Affairs Cause of Trouble.

Worry over business affairs is the cause given for the insanity of William E. Glathart, aged forty-one years, a Tully township farmer, who was adjudged insane by Probate Judge W. S. Spencer and taken to the asylum by Sheriff John G. Stark and Deputy J. Austin Reed, Saturday afternoon. The affidavit against Glathart was filed by John Baldinger, a neighbor.

Mr Glathart was examined by Drs. C E Sawyer and Dana O Weeks, who, in their medical certificate of the case, state that he is depressed and excited and believes all of his relatives are against him. One brother is insane

Glathart frequently remarked as to how he was being persecuted and spoke often of suicide He also threatened his wife The recent Hipsher tragedy appeared to prey on his mind For weeks, Glathart had been a victim of sleeplessness and during the night would stand beside the bed of his wife and threaten her, the testimony showed

LITTLE FELLOW IS KILLED NEAR EDISON

Ladds Falls Under Heavy Wagon and Is Crushed.

Wilus Talmage, four-year-old son of Benjamin Talmage, who resides between Edison and Denmark, two and a half miles from Edison, was almost instantly killed, Thursday noon, by being crushed by a wagon loaded with sand.

The father and an older brother, Clarence, were seated on the front of the wagon, while the little fellow was sitting on top of the load. He was evidently playing in the sand when he slipped off, falling so that the left hind wheel went over his body and arm.

Clarence noticed him fall, but too late to stop the team. The sand weighed two and a half tons.

When picked up the little boy gasped a few times and life was extinct.—Morrow County Republican.

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Senator Bourne is now backing Senator La Follette for the Republican presidential nomination in 1912 Senator Bourne will be remembered as one of the handicaps which Colonel Roosevelt no doubt felt precluded him from entering the race in 1908.

At each polling place in the city, Tuesday, eight ballot boxes were used—three for the Republican party, three for the Democratic and two for the Socialist. The use of three boxes—one for the city ballots, one for the township and a third for the school board would have facilitated the work and saved a great expense. The ballot box manufacturers will never ask for the repeal of the law which necessitates such a superfluity of their wares

Quite naturally, Colonel Roosevelt feels that any president will have to go some before he surpasses the administration before the present.

This talk about the physical decline of "Young America" is rot Were not the school boys and girls of high physical development, they would never be able to tote the books required by the school courses of study.

Although the naval experts give assurance that our big naval guns could destroy a hostile fleet at fourteen miles, the timorous Bostonese will still shudder over the possibility of some enemy's torpedo boats coming in overland and entering by the way of the kitchen door

There is no question whatever about the better man having one, but that doesn't take the Gotch-Hackenschmidt bout out of the hippodrome class. If Hackenschmidt was in shape, it is evident that he isn't in Gotch's class. If he had been out of shape and suffering from an injured knee for two weeks before the match, a fraud was worked on the people who bought tickets by the management.

New York, under a new law, is making a determined effort to put a stop to the carrying of concealed weapons. But no half-way measures will ever succeed. The revolver should be made contraband and its ownership or possession be made a misdemeanor, and the shooting of one person by another even by accident, a felony. That would save many lives

The Mexican campaign scheme of shooting up—or down—the minority may yet have to be adopted in this country if campaign expenditures are fixed at a figure too low to induce our patriots to exercise their suffrage.

Up to the present time the anti-reciprocity party in Canada has not invited Mr. LaFollette to deliver his eight-day speech on that subject. But perhaps under the application of a little reverse English the speech would be better for the Laurier side of the committee.

Fourteen lives were lost in a hotel fire at Juneau, Alaska, but notwithstanding anything Mr. Pinchot may say, Mr. Ballinger and Senator Guggenheim will be able to establish a complete alibi.

The Kansas crowd which jeered a reluctant aviator to his death must have been made up of lineal descendants of the old Romans who turned "thumbs down" to demand the death of the vanquished gladiators It is rather a pity that the doomed air man did not guide his ship over their heads and then fall on as many of them as possible.

Champ Clark calls the members of the tariff board "mere clerks." This is cheap and paltry of Beauchamp The tariff board is made up of men who were not expelled from college as Champ was, but who completed the course and have acquired a range of culture and scholarship to which Clark may never attain. They are not "lame ducks" or political pensioners, but scientists who have for years made a study of tariff problems and are recognized authorities upon the subjects under discussion Mr Clark himself has never had any real information upon this subject, his interest being entirely partisan and superficial

A good line on the worth of the dope written preliminary to any athletic event, whether wrestling, prize-fighting or baseball, may be had when it is recalled that not a single dopester writing on the Gotch-Hackenschmidt bout was able to discover that Hack was a mountain of fat and suffering from an injured knee

The story is going the rounds that a New Jersey woman has received a bequest of a third of a million dollars for being kind to a supposed tramp Given general circulation that tale should make easy sledding for the "Weary Willies" for some time to come

THE HIPSHER FAMILIES HOLD THEIR REUNION

About 100 Relatives Gather on the School Grounds.

OFFICERS SELECTED FOR COMING YEAR

Mrs. Alva Rogers Is Given a Very Pleasant Surprise—The Aid Society of the Caledonia M. E. Church Holds a Meeting—Village Notes of the Past Week.

Caledonia, O. Sept 8. [Special.] The sixth annual reunion of the Hipsher families was held on the school grounds last Thursday. About 100 members were present. A fine dinner was served at the noon hour The entire day was given to visiting except a few minutes, during which a limited amount of business was transacted The following officers were elected for the coming year O. L. Hipsher, president; Mrs Maggie Lafferty, secretary, and Silas Hipsher, treasurer. The next reunion will be held at the same place, the last Thursday in August, 1912. The following guests from a distance responded to the invitations Mrs Ada Dasy and daughter, Anna Louise, of Galion; Mr and Mrs Willis Hipsher, Edouard Hipsher and Mrs Elizabeth Ehlers, of Marion, and Lewis Ault and Henry Hipsher, of Van Wert.

Mrs. Alva Rogers was given a pleasant surprise, Saturday, when a party of relatives arrived at her home to help celebrate her birthday. An elaborate dinner was served from well-filled baskets provided by the guests Those present were Mr and Mrs. Martin Scott, of Bucyrus, Mr. and Mrs Spencer Lanum and daughter, Ruth, of Denmark, Mr and Mrs. Otis Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs George Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Seckel, F J Jackson and Mrs Ann Jackson, of this place.

The Aid society of the M. E church held its August meeting at the home of Mrs. Maggie Grooves, of south High street, last Thursday afternoon A large number was in attendance Mrs. Sue K. Burt led the devotional exercises which were followed by the regular business Mrs. James Hinds gave a delightful reading which was heartily appreciated It was decided to hold the next meeting at the home of Mrs Ada Geddis, Wednesday, September 20

The fourth annual Blair family reunion was held at the home of Mr and Mrs J. M. Blair, Saturday, and was attended by about fifty members of the family An elegant dinner was one of the main features of the day. In the afternoon, a paper was read, giving the history of a medal won by the grandfather of the present generation, who was one of Perry's sailors when the latter won his naval victory on lake Erie. The history was very interesting. The following officers were elected: William J Blair, president; Mrs W A. Baker, vice president; J. M. Blair, secretary and treasurer, Mrs J. N. Guthery, historian and Vance Van Nostran, Mrs. Clyde Covert and Mrs. Ina Haas committee on program. The next meeting will be held at Rittman. The out-of-town guests were Mrs J N. Guthery, of Bryan; Mrs. Mary Hayes and son, Russel, and Mr. and Mrs. William Baker, of Elkhart, Indiana; Vance Van Ostrand and family, of Rittman; Joseph Van Ostand and family and Frank Blair, of Sterling; Martin Blair and family, of Shelby; Mrs. Jennie Reardon and grandson, of Espyville; Louis Reardon, W. J. Blair and family, of Marion, and Mr and Mrs Claude Beaker and family, of Sterling.

Fred Busch and daughter, Rettie, spent Sunday with relatives in Cleveland

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Columbus and family and George Beck, of Marion, were the guests of Fred Beck, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Merle Waite received a message, Tuesday, announcing the death of the latter's brother, Frank Lyon, of Bucyrus. The deceased was in the service of the T & O. C Railroad company and was killed at Fostoria. Mr and Mrs. Waite attended the funeral at Bucyrus Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs Arthur Kelly and children, Letha, Irene, Justine and Arthur, drove here from Tocsin, Indiana, in their automobile last Friday and visited relatives until Wednesday.

Little Robert, the six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs I. S Irey, was taken to a hospital in Marion, last Wednesday, where Drs A and Hermann Rhu operated on him

Mr. and Mrs Sherman Barlow, of Cincinnati, moved to this place, the first of the week, and occupy the Meister property on Water street.

George Schofield, of Jersey City, New Jersey, spent the first of the week with his wife, who is the guest of her parents Mr and Mrs George Henry They will move their furniture here in the near future and reside here until Mrs Schofield's health improves

Mr and Mrs I. S Irey and children, Mr and Mrs Chalmer Kelly and daughter, Margaret; Mr. and Mrs C E Kelly and daughter, Lucy and Miss Ethel Bollinger, of this place, and Arthur Kelly and family, of Tocsin Indiana, constituted an automobile party which drove to Bucyrus, Sunday, where they spent the day with Harry Rule

Mr. and Mrs Kirk Crissinger, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, are the guests of Mr and Mrs Frank Swisher, north of town

Mrs. Lodema Ziller, of Ada was the guest of friends here Tueday

George W. Dare, of Hartsonville, Missouri, called on old friends here last week.

Miss Edith Donnenwirth, of Bucyrus, is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. H. M Hart.

Frank Ulsh is seriously ill of Bright's disease at his home west of town.

Jesse Fields, of Rome, Iowa, and John Fields, of Atkins, Kansas, are the guests of their brother, William Fields, and wife.

Miss Rettie Busch has resigned her position as a typesetter in the Enterprise office. Miss Edith Ward is at present filling the position.

Harloe Hipsher is suffering from an attack of typhoid fever at his home north of town

Miss Goldeth Highly returned, Monday, from a two-weeks visit with relatives in Marion

Mrs. John Rolfe and daughter, Evelyn, returned, Sunday, from a three-weeks visit with relatives in Pemberville

The remains of the infant son of Mrs Alexander Anderson were brought to this place, Tuesday, from Union City, Indiana, and interred by the side of its father in the Caledonia cemetery.

Mrs T. J. Anderson departed, last Friday, for New London, New Jersey, where she is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelsey Caris, of Fulton, were the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs C. H. Moser, this week

E H. Conaway, of Cardington, was calling on old friends here Wednesday.

PARTY OF GIRLS HAS PLEASANT AFTERNOON

Miss Marguerite Mochel Is the Hostess.

Waldo, O, Sept 8.—[Special.]—Miss Marguerite Mochel entertained a number of girl friends, Saturday afternoon, in honor of her twelfth birthday. The afternoon was pleasantly spent with all kinds of games. Her guests were Irene Bender, Isabelle Bower, Alma Moyer, Hazel Groll, Mildred Kramer, Letha Conner, Naomi Corbin, Daisy Strine, Ada Smith and Lena Helmlich.

Miss Flora Houseworth entertained the Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church at her home Wednesday evening

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Whiteman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Miller, of Delaware, Sunday.

C. E. Morris and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Benedict and daughter, and Mrs. W. J. Peters and children were guests of Columbus friends Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. John Britsch entertained, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J Britsch and family, of Akron; Mrs Christian Schultz, Miss Anna Schultz, George Schultz and Henry Schultz, of Marion, and Mrs. Eva Place and Edward Hecker, of Waldo.

Mrs. Marie Smith returned, this week, from a visit of several weeks with friends near Dayton

Mrs. Dora Corbin and Miss Bertha Augenstine visited at Marion Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Glaze and children, of Marion, were Waldo visitors, Sunday.

Carl Melley, Lowell Gompf and Fred Smith left for Delaware, Monday, to begin school duties

The Conklin reunion was held at Westfield, Wednesday. Mrs Susan Conklin, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Conklin and family, Clifford Conklin, Mr and Mrs. Strine. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Conklin were members of the family present from here.

Mrs. Conklin and daughter. Eva, of Delaware, were guests of Mrs. Susan Conklin, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs Mary Snyder was the guest of friends at Ridgeway the latter part of the week

Mrs. Charles McKinsey visited friends in Delaware Wednesday.

Mrs. Andrew Ingle and Miss Linda Selanders were guests of their sister, Mrs. M Houseworth, Sunday.

Miss Ruth Corbin has returned from a visit of two weeks with Columbus friends.

Miss Lulu Morris returned, Tuesday, from a visit with friends in Columbus.

Mr and Mrs Pearl McCann, of Columbus, were guests, Sunday, of Mr and Mrs John Wyatt

Mr and Mrs Lewis Vanatta are visiting relatives in Indiana for several weeks

Mr. and Mrs William Corbin and children were guests, of Joshua Corbin, and family near Agosta Monday

William Gearhiser is building a one-story business room adjoining his block on the south

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Russell and son, Horace of New London, were guests of Waldo friends Monday and Tuesday.

William McKinsey and family, of Delaware, visited at the Charles McKinsey home Monday.

Mr and Mrs. Alvah Peters and family, of Columbus, and Mrs. Peters, of Groveport, were at the D. W Benedict home Monday

School will begin Monday, September 11.

Mr. and Mrs David Bower and daughter, Miss Isabelle, visited Sunday and Monday in Bucyrus and Chatfield.

D W Selanders moved this week into the Edward Wilson property vacated by A D Wells

An Operation.

Salvatore Farrugie, an Italian cobbler, was operated on for a nasal affection by Dr. E. O. Richardson, Wednesday Farrugie had been unable to breathe through his nose for some time. He is improving nicely.

Some history repeats itself, but your own private history is apt to be repeated by your neighbors

SOCIAL AFFAIR GIVEN BY EPWORTH LEAGUE

Miss Beatrice Smith Is Hostess to Members.

THE BEGINNING OF CONTEST FOR MEMBERS

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moon Entertain Their Children at a Pleasant Gathering—Nearly All of Children and Grandchildren Are in Attendance. Some Meeker Notes.

Meeker, O., Sept 8.—[Special.]—A unique and pleasing affair was the regular monthly social given by the Epworth league at the home of Miss Beatrice Smith, south of Meeker, Thursday evening. The guests were nicely entertained in a series of games and contests. This social marked the beginning of a spirited contest in which the members are divided into divisions, using the league colors red and white to distinguish the different sides. Miss Marie Davis is captain of the white side, and Mr. Alva Schertzer captain of the red. Credits are based on attendance, new members, etc. The contest will end January 1, 1912. Each young lady brought a box containing supper enough for two. The guests were: Mr and Mrs. Asa Smith Mr and Mrs. John Hecker, and daughter, Ruthella. Mrs. Alice Cookston, Mr. and Mrs Robert Carpenter, Misses Jessie, May and Iscah Metz, Cecile Sprague, Mabel and Iscah Brown. Marie Davis, Grace Titus, Margery Cheney, Lucy Carpenter, Beatrice Smith, Neva Hatfield, Emma Day, Grace and Beth James, Clemma and Nyda Grubb, Carrie Mears. Marian Grubb and Bessie Scott, of Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moon were the central figures of a delightful surprise in the way of a visit from all of their children and grandchildren, Sunday. Every member of the family was present, except, Mr. and Mrs. U. E. Partridge and daughter, Nyla, of St. Helena, California and G. A. Moon, of San Francisco. The day was one of rejoicing. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Moon and children Ohles. Burdetta and Robert; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moon, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Thomas and children. Fred, Clifford, Hortense and Mary Evelyn, of Marion; Mr. and Mrs. John Moon and daughters, Helen, Lucile and Mary, of Mansfield; Mr and Mrs. Willis Riley and children, Haskell, Blanche and Edith, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lamb and son, Raymond, of LaRue; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hatfield and son, Burton; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mears and children. Ruth, Lois, George Thomas and Imogene; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cookston and son, Donald, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sprague and daughters, Donna, Fern and Delight; Floyd Moon and Miss Carrie Mears, of this place.

William Schertzer and son, Earl, made a business trip to Mt. Victory and Richwood, Friday, and returned Saturday.

Miss Grace Karns. who has been ill for some time, is recovering

Roy Hoffman was the guest of friends in Findlay this week.

Anson Parrish was the guest of friends in Logan several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pfeiffer, Jr., and daughter, Esta, visited the state fair Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs. Rance Cole, of Marseilles, were the guests of their daughter, Mrs Merle Anthony, Friday, of last week.

Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Carey were at Ada, Monday, attending the funeral of Rev. S. Rice

LeRoy Burdge, of LaRue, spent Saturday with his sister, Mrs. Laura McIntire of this place.

Mrs. Rena Thomasson, of LaRue, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Day

A harvest home festival will be given at the residence of DeWillis Davis, Saturday evening, September 9.

Dee Schultz has returned home after a visit with friends at Prospect.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moon, and children, Lucille, Helen and Mary, of Mansfield, spent a couple of days with friends here this week.

Mr and Mrs. Clarence Davis and son, Bernard, of Marion, were guests of friends here several days this week.

Charlie Sprague has been very seriously ill for several days suffering an attack of appendicitis

E. M. Stockwell, of Prospect, visited friends here Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Thomas McCreery attended a reunion in Marion, Saturday.

Next Sunday, September 10 will be observed by the Epworth league as rally day. A special program has been prepared.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ducat, Guy Ducat, Miss Grace Hogan, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McIntire made an auto trip to Prospect, Sunday, to visit friends.

Miss Emma Carnes, of Cortland, and Elsie Carnes, of Hillsdale, Michigan, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Carnes, northwest of Meeker.

Mark James, of Zanesville, is spending a few weeks with Mr and Mrs Alonzo James.

Mrs Fern Lamb and baby visited Mr. and Mrs Thomas Moon and other friends here several days this week.

Mrs Margaret Stockwell has returned to her home at Agosta, after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. D. Schultz.

Mrs. Mary Beard, is the guest of friends in Marysville.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. McClintock, of near LaRue, were guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Roll Clements Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, of Marysville, were visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs. Frank McIntire for several days.

MANY VISITORS AT GREEN CAMP THIS WEEK

Notes of Some Interest Picked Up at the Village.

Green Camp, O, Sept. 8.—[Special.]—Mr. and Mrs. N F Welch and daughter, Ester, and Mrs. Maggie Whitcraft were Prospect visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs L. D. Harshberger, Wednesday

Mrs Ray Fine and baby have returned to their home, in Dayton, after a pleasant visit with relatives.

Mr and Mrs. Orval Barnhart and children, of Marion, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs Henry Jacobs, at their home on the Prospect pike

Mrs. Alice Fish is spending the week with Dayton relatives

Mrs. J. G McNamara spent a few days last week with relatives at Cheshire.

The Black family reunion, which was held, Sunday, August 27, in Gast's grove at Prospect, was a happy event, and was attended by the following relatives and friends. Mrs. Martha Morey and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Morey and family, of White Sulphur; Mr. and Mrs. W. A Black, of Bellepoint: Mr and Mrs. Israel Grubb and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ellia Carey and family, of Agosta: Mr. and Mrs Stephen Morgan and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Black, of Marion: Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Oller and family, of Delaware; J. J. Black and E. J. Black, of this place. The pleasant hours of the day were spent in swinging and social chat. At noon, an excellent dinner was served. The next reunion will be held at the same place the lats Sunday in July

Mrs. R. W. Johnston and daughter, Miss Rita, spent a pleasant Sunday with friends at North Robinson.

Court and Harold Porter returned to their home in Lansing, Michigan, after spending the summer with relatives here and at Kinsman.

Mr. and Mrs. William Keplar. of Marion, spent Sunday with Mr. Keplar's parents at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N Court returned to their home at Kinsman, Sunday, after a few days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Court.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morris passed last Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Arliss Porter, of Mansfield, spent Sunday and Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H Porter.

In honor of her son, Vernon, who will resume his work at Heidelberg college in a few days. Mrs George Zieg entertained the young people's classes of the Mt. Olive and German Reform Sunday-school in a pleasant way at her home, last Saturday night About sixty were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Earnhart and children, of Urbana, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Porter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs E J. Hogan left last week for Goshen, Indiana, where Mr. Hogan will resume his work as superintendent of the schools

Mr. and Mrs Clarence Bricker. of Marion, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs E. O. Smith

Merle Gambrill has returned to Battle Creek, Michigan, after enjoying a few days' visit with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. E Gambrill.

Mrs. Otto McNeal, of Marion, spent Sunday here

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, of Mendin, are visiting friends at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Uncapher and family, of Prospect, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs J. P. Carmine.

Mrs. Almeda Lingle returned this week to her home at Redland, California, after passing a pleasant summer with relatives here

Miss Lucile Richardson, of Mansfield, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C L. Patten, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilbert were entertained at dinner, Sunday, by Mr. and Mrs. George Rutter, of Prospect.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ritzler were in Kenton, Sunday, to attend the eighteenth anniversary celebration of the marriage of Mr and Mrs. Ray Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conklin and family, of Waldo, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Flach.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ritzler and daughter were the guests of Mr and Mrs. Frank Ridenbaugh at Kenton, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Harry Watts and baby attended the funeral of Mrs. Watts' grandmother at Greenwich, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs Wolford Johnston have returned to their home in Florida, after a pleasant visit at the home of Mrs. R. W. Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F Wottring were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Houghton in Marion, Thursday

The ball game, last Thursday, between Richwood and the home team, resulted in a score of nine to twelve in favor of Richwood

The condition of A. T Redd, of near Newman's still remains critical.

Little Dorothy Court is able to be around the house after a severe illness of three weeks.

Tile, mosaic, stone and brick floors require the same treatment—washing with warm soap suds whenever they are dirty, rinsing well and rubbing dry with a thick, clean cloth fastened over a flat mop.

ODD FELLOWS HOLD IMPORTANT SESSION

Mizpah Encampment Receives Five Applications.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR DEGREE WORK SOON

Daughters of America Meet and Dispose of Some Business Matters. A Special Session of the Knights of the Maccabees—A Picnic To Be Held at Olentangy Park.

A regular meeting of Mizpah Encampment, N. 50, I O. O. F, was held, Tuesday evening, with a good attendance. Five applications for membership were received. At the next meeting in two weeks, the golden rule degree will be conferred and a stag social will be enjoyed.

A special meeting of the Knights of the Maccabees was held, Tuesday evening, with a good attendance Arrangements were made for a picnic, to be held at Olentangy park, September 16 The next regular meeting will be held next Tuesday evening.

Routine buisness was transacted at a regular meting of the Daughters of America; Tuesday evening. The next meeting will be held September 19.

Two candidates were initiated and eight applications were balloted on at a regular meeting of the Modern Brotherhood, Tuesday evening. Arrangements were made for the celebration of the first anniversary, October 10 After the business, a social and dance was enjoyed. The next meeting will be held, next Tuesday evening. and will open promptly at 7.30 o'clock.

Considerable business was transacted at a largely-attended meeting of the Red Men, Tuesday evening Arrangements were made for a social to follow the meeting next week.

Marion Temple, No. 381, Pythian Sisters, met in regular session Tuesday evening. Only routine business was transacted. Arrangements were made to hold a social, after the business session at the next meeting in two weeks.

A regular meeting of the Ladies of the Maccabees was held, Wednesday evening, with a good attendance. Arrangements were made for the picnic to be held at Olentangy park, September 16. The next meeting will be held three weeks from Wednesday afternoon.

Lydia Chapter, No 83, Order of Eastern Star, has received an invitation from Prospect Chapter to meet with the Prospect chapter the evening of its inspection, September 15. All those who contemplate making the trip are expected to notify the secretary of Lydia chapter not later than September 12.

AGOSTA HAPPENINGS OF THE PAST FEW DAYS

People Who Visit the Village and in the Vicinity.

Agosta, O., Sept. 8.—[Special.]—Thomas Chapman, of south of town, spent Thursday in Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew and children, of Marion, were the guests of Mrs. L Orr, of south of town, a few days last week.

Misses Nellie and Lucile Young, of Essex, spent Sunday with Miss Edith Chapman, south of town

Mrs. C. B. Hudson, of Marion, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Johnston.

Mrs. Thomas Chapman was a Marion visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Bauer, of north of town, are visiting relatives in Erie, Pennsylvania.

Mrs E D Horton is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Horton, of Essex.

Mrs. W. E. Cleveland, of Erie, Pennsylvania, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Brady.

Mrs. H E Hill returned to her home in Marion, Monday, after spending several days with her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Miller.

G E Young visited from Thursday till Saturday with his son, C. V. Young, of Newark.

E. D Horton is spending a few days with relatives at Blillfield. Michigan

Mrs. Frank Grim and daughter, Hazel, returned home from Columbus, Saturday, after a week's visit with relatives.

Miss Grace Berger, of Marion, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Prettyman.

Howard Moore, of Akron, spent Monday at this place.

Mrs. Brose Reed and Mrs Charles Bonnet, of Marysville, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. O Young a few days this week.

Mrs. G. C. Young and daughter Mae, and Mrs. Jane Redding were Marion visitors Saturday.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Miss Stella Gertrude Dietsch and Harry Wilhelm, both of Marion, and Miss Gertrude Mary Eibling, of this city, and John Phillip Ebert, of Dayton

Marriage licenses have been issued to Miss Edna Grace Hurr and William M. Rush, Miss Alice Ethel Manley, of Agosta, and Walter E. Tooley, of LaRue, and Miss Marie Frefz and Harry C Ernsberger

SWIMMING LESSONS WILL BE GIVEN FREE

A New Y. M. C. A. Move with View To Saving Life.

CAMPAIGN WILL GIVE ALL A CHANCE

The Physical Director of the Y. M C. A. Seeks To Give Every Ma and Boy in the City the Necessar Instructions To Enable Them To Swim—The Plan.

In the years past, there have been so many deaths due to drowning that the Young Men's Christian associations of this country have decided to prevent as nearly as possible such accidents.

A little more than a year ago, the association swimming campaign was launched It has for its object a no less herculean task than to teach every man and boy in North America, who can not already do so, to swim To date, approximately 30,000 persons have been taught to swim. In accordance with this the local Y. M. C. A. through its physical department, is to conduct a swimming campaign covering a period of two weeks, from September 11 to and including September 23. During that time any man or boy over twelve years of age, in Marion, may receive swimming instruction free of al charge.

All that is required of any on wanting to learn, is to apply at th Y. M. C. A. office for an applicatio blank, have it filled out and return to the Y. M. C. A., when he will b given a special swimming member ship ticket good for two weeks. A application blanks must be in th hands of Physical Director Barthol mew by Saturday night September

The Plan Outlined.

The plan to be followed during th campaign is as follows: Each ma or boy who enters will be requeste to fill out an application blank, the membership cards will be exchange for the filled blanks, then the diffe ent classes will be arranged and o ganized.

Each member will be required show his ticket at the gate before will be allowed to enter the physic department. This ticket will punched each time a lesson is tak and at the end of the campaign, ea will turn his ticket over to the m in charge. After getting into t physical department, each participa in the campaign will take a ba then line up in class formation a here receive what is known as t land drill. This gives him his id of the stroke used, the crawl stro

In the Water Stunts.

After the student masters the fi part of the instruction, he will taken to the natatorium and the the water will be at such a depth a temperature as will be best adap to his needs: In the natatorium student will be put upon a pair water wings. and will be given opportunity to use the knowledge acquired in the land drill.

It will not be long before t average man or boy will do aw with the water wings and be able swim. This plan will be followed d after day for the two weeks of t campaign, and then the last d September 23, a contest will be h in which all who learned to sw during the campaign will be allow to compete, provided he has taken least eight of the twelve lesso given.

This contest will consist of but o stunt, and that will be the swim distance. It does not have to be ecuted in any approved stroke. T contestants will simply enter water and start to swim. It ma no difference what kind of strokes how many different strokes he us Those in the different divisions of sociation membership who swim greatest distance, will receive a me bership ticket which will entitle h to the use of all the privileges offe in the association for one year, o September, 1912.

UNCLAIMED MAIL.

The following unclaimed mail mains undelivered at this office:

Men—Dewey Anderson, Roy B C. W. Bowers, J. W. Beaver, Mor Barton, Tom Ben Camps, Bay Cl Harry Coon. Honnell Denie. O Daniels. John Faulkner, L Harper. John C. Haswell, C Lucas care of Henry Kern. C Lockwood. C. L. Miller care of liam Colmery, Boyd Murphy. J Palmer. J W. Peters, C. A. Poc E T Rigsby care of Edward He Thomas Riley. Charles Volz. A Wright, James Winters, San Wise. E. G. Walls. Domenico Nat

Women—Nellie Betz Mrs. D Bent, Mrs C. Clark. Estella Cou Mrs. George Cross. Clara David Mrs. Horace Gear Margaret H man, Eva Height. Mrs. Louise Mrs. H. C. Higgins. A. Long. R McHenry. Mrs. E. C. Merchant. M. L. Mingert, Mrs. Carr A. Mit Mrs E. Lily Strum.

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COMMON PLEAS COURT.

In the suit of Myrtle Sn against William Spicer, the defe ant, through Attorneys Crissinge Guthery, has filed an answer, set up a general denial. The plai sued her father-in-law for alie tion of her husband's affections

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CURTIS WILLIAMS IS LODGED IN THE JAIL

Is Captured at the Home of W. S. Ruth Friday.

HE CELEBRATES AN ANNIVERSARY IN JAIL

Prisoner Is Arrested the Day He Is Nineteen Years Old—Enters the Ruth Home and Is Robbing It When Discovered—Hearing Before Justice C. L. Patten.

Curtis Williams, aged nineteen, of Richmond, Indiana, was lodged in the county jail by Marshal George Collins, of Green Camp, Friday evening, charged with making a forcible entry into the home of W. S. Ruth, just east of Green Camp.

Mrs. Ruth had left the house only a few minutes Friday morning, when her son, John Ruth, who was cutting corn, heard a suspicious noise at the house. He went quietly to the building and saw Williams, who had gained entrance through a window, ransacking the rooms. Ruth gave the alarm and Williams was caught. The youth tried to hide some money which it is supposed he had found in the house.

Mrs. Ruth, in an interview over the telephone, said there could not have been in the house at the time more than $16 or $18.

When Williams was arrested he tore up some paper and a woman's picture. He tried thus to hide his identity, it is thought.

Rev. Mr. Hite picked up the scraps of papers, which proved to be letters, and pieced them together. From them it was learned that the man's name is Curtis Williams and that his home is at Richmond, Indiana. He later admitted that his name was Williams and said he lived in Richmond.

Williams was arraigned before Justice C. L. Patten and held to the grand jury in the sum of $500.

"I am nineteen years old today, and this is a nice way to be celebrating my birthday," the youth said a shore time after he was arrested at Green Camp.

A PLEASANT AFFAIR AT COUNTRY HOME

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Foster Host and Hostess.

About thirty-five friends and neighbors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Foster, five miles northeast of the city, Friday evening, in celebration of the sixteenth birthday of Miss Grace Foster. The surprise was complete in every detail. Mrs. Foster was assisted in serving a four-course supper by Mrs. E. U. Briggs, Mrs. Fred Gilbert, Mrs. Elmer Van Meter and Mrs. J. W. Burtsfield. The evening was devoted to games and music.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Van Meter and sons, Floyd and Wilbur; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burtsfield, Misses Esther and Elizabeth Gay, Minnie Crawford, Minerva Smith, Izora Smith, Glade Lucas, Rebecca Burtsfield, Grace Beaver, Gertrude Beaver, Messrs. Jay Briggs, of Waldo; Clarence Swisher, Charles Solomon, Verne Lucas, Elva Beaver, George Burtsfield, Emerson Foos, Thomas Beaver, Harry Burtsfield, Edward Solomon, Edgar Beaver, Clifford Hickman, Charles Burtsfield and Carl Foster.

ORGANIZATION OF SCHOOL EXAMINERS

Meeting Held in the Office of Dr. Henry A. Hartman.

Members of the board of city school examiners met in the office of Superintendent Henry A. Hartman, Friday afternoon, between 4 and 5 o'clock, and organized by electing T. C. Bowen, president; Mrs. N. L. Gebhardt, vice president, and Henry A. Hartman, clerk.

One-year certificates were granted, as provided under the law to university graduates without examination, to A. B. Cole, teacher of mathematics and English; Miss Frances Bowdell, teacher of English, and Edgar D. McIlvain, principal of the Olney Avenue building.

MARION ON ROUTE AEROPLANE FLIGHTS

Birdmen Will Fly Across the Entire Country.

Marion, Kenton and Lima are among the cities directly in the path of the greatest aeroplane flights ever attempted. Aviators will essay to fly from the Pacific coast to the Atlantic coast in an effort to win a purse of $50,000 offered by the William Randolph Hearst newspapers.

All o the leading aviators in the country will participate in the event. The birdmen will leave San Francisco, September 10, and it will be days later before they will be due in this section of the country.

Contract Is Let.

The contract for the Drehr ditch in Green Camp township was sold in the office of the county surveyor, Friday afternoon. Wililam Barnes got the trench work at his bid of $1,397.30 and the Richwood Clay company the tiling for $2,288.25.

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✣ BIRTHS. ✣

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A daughter was born, Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. George Self, of near Richwood.

NO REASON FOR IT

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THE HARTEL REUNION IS HELD THURSDAY

A Big Dinner and a Pleasing Program.

The Hartel reunion was held at the home of James Hartel near Marseilles, Thursday. At noon, a bounteous dinner was served at which ninety-two people partook of the many good things.

After dinner, a short program was enjoyed at which addresses were made by Americus Hartel, of Kenton; Rev. W. A. Ferguson, of LaRue, and Mr. Bowman, of Oxford. Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Church, of this city, sang a duet; Mrs. Sutton, of Cleveland, a solo, and Miss Hartel, of Galion recited.

The following officers were elected: Americus Hartel, president; O. V. Boby, secretary; Milo Sanford, treasurer, and Miss Agnes Heckathorn, historian.

The next reunion will be held with Addison Hartel, of Carey.

UNDERWOOD FAMILY HOLDS ITS REUNION

Tenth Annual Gathering at Home of George Douce.

The tenth annual reunion of the Underwood family was held at the home of George Douce, a mile and a quarter west of Caledonia, Thursday. About seventy-five members of the family were present. At the noon hour a big dinner was served in the grove across the road from the house. Little Carl Douce, Mark Underwood and Avis Underwood gave recitations.

Jesse Underwood was chosen president and Mrs. William Neff, secretary. It was decided to hold the next reunion at the same place.

Among the guests from a distance were Hattie Clendennen, of Marion; George Hinds, of Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and children, of Cardington.

MRS. NORA S. MILLER DIES AT WESTERVILLE

Is Mother of Newton M. Miller of This City.

After an illness of six weeks, Mrs. Nora S. Miller, mother of Newton M. Miller, general manager of the Ohio Tractor company in this city, died at her home in Westerville, Thursday morning. She was seventy-two years old.

Mrs. Miller was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church, at Croton, where she lived until about two years ago. Besides her son, she is survived by one brother, R. L. Stoughton, and by Mrs. Devilla Ross, of Croton, who was reared in Mrs. Miller's home.

The funeral services were held at the Methodist church at Lock, Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. D. J. Smith officiating.

THOMAS PRYOR DIES AT COUNTY INFIRMARY

Death Results of Old Age and Complications.

Thomas Pryor, aged seventy-four years, died of old age and a complication of diseases at the county infirmary at noon Friday. He was taken to the infirmary about one year ago. He is survived by a son who resides in Chillicothe.

The funeral will be held from the M. H. Gunder undertaking parlors Saturday morning, Rev. J. W. Miles officiating. The remains were interred by the side of the deceased's late wife in the Otterbein cemetery.

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RESTRICTIONS OF LAW TAKEN FROM HUNTERS

The Squirrel Are Killed Regardless of the Law.

The season for the killing of a few birds and the woodchuck, or groundhog as he is familiarly known, protected under the Ohio law, was opened Friday and a number of local hunters were spending their time where the outlook for game and sport has been found favorable.

Although the season for the killing of geese, ducks, railbirds, plover, snipe, mudhens and California dove is open, it is too early for the migratory flights of most of the birds with the exception of the California dove which is regarded very highly by the wing shots of ability. The bird is a swift flyer and very difficult to approach. It is therefore not a prey to the game hog who may be only capable of pot shots, and the hunter who secures a fair number of them must be equal to taking them on the wing.

The new law governing the killing of squirrel gives an open season from September 15 to October 15. There were a great many squirrels this season, but the killing is about over in spite of the vigilance of the state game wardens. Rainy days in the country with plenty of squirrel in the woods make the hunting too attractive for some to wait until the law sanctions the killing.

NEGRO BOUND OVER TO THE GRAND JURY

Is Held To Answer Two Charges at Bucyrus.

Theodore Sayer, the colored man, who shot and wounded LaVern Lust, residing four miles west of the city, Wednesday morning, was given a hearing before Mayor Songer this morning. Sayer was the man who tried to rob the Jacob Lust home, and was caught while in the act.

Sayer was arraigned before Mayor Songer, Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock, on two charges. The first charge was that of shooting with intend to kill, and the second charge was that of breaking into a dwelling in day time to steal. On the former charge, the mayor bound him over to the grand jury in the sum of $1,000, and on the latter charge $300. Sayer could not furnish bond and was committed to the county jail, to await a hearing before the grand jury.—Bucyrus Forum.

DEATH FOLLOWS A VERY LONG ILLNESS

Mrs. Elizabeth Cochran Dies at Martel Thursday.

Martel, O., Sept. 1.—[Special.]—Mrs. Elizabeth Cochran, wife of Alexander Cochran, one mile south of Martel, died Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, after an illness of several years of a complication of diseases. Mrs. Cochran died on her sixtieth wedding anniversary.

The deceased was seventy-seven years of age, and aside from her husband she leaves one daughter, Mrs. Jennie Sharrock, of Greenleaf, Kansas, who was on her way to her mother's bedside at the time of her death. One sister, Mrs. Angeline Kerr, who made her home with the deceased, also survives.

The funeral will be held from the late residence, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, and burial will be made in the Iberia cemetery.

RICHLAND TOWNSHIP EMBROIDERY CLUB

Meeting Held at the Home of Mrs. H. J. Klinefelter.

The H. F. Embroidery club of Richland township was entertained at the home of Mrs. Harvey J. Klinefelter, about seven miles southeast of the city, Thursday afternoon. Nearly all of the members were present, and a pleasant afternoon was spent with embroidery work and social chat. In a contest, Mrs. Clinton Click won first prize and Mrs. William Wolfinger, second prize. Refreshments were served. The guests were Mrs. Grant Davidson, of Marion; Mrs. Herman Blank, Miss Ruth Cope and Miss Mabel Firstenberger.

The next meeting will be held in three weeks with Mrs. John Firstenberger, about seven miles southeast of the city.

VETERANS ASSEMBLE IN ANNUAL REUNION

Program and a Big Dinner Is Enjoyed Thursday.

A Marysville special to the Ohio State Journal, this morning, says:

The twenty-fifth annual reunion of the soldiers and citizens of Liberty township was held in the Simon Hall's grove, near Raymond, with an attendance of about 5,000, Thursday. A big basket picnic dinner was served in the grove and the citizens of the township furnished free coffee. A big campfire was held in the town hall this evening. The principal speakers were Colonel W. L. Curry, United States pension agent, and Colonel William A. Taylor, state commissioner of pensions of Columbus; Jesse L. Cameron of Marysville and Rev. C. M. Bell of Ada.

ARE MARRIED AT THE BAPTIST PARSONAGE

Miss Sylvia Hemmerly and Mr. Perry Shuster Wed.

Miss Sylvia Hemmerly and Mr. Perry Shuster, both of this city, were united in marriage by Rev. J. P. Curtin at the First Baptist parsonage on south Vine street, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. They were attended by a number of relatives.

Immediately after the ceremony, the wedding party repaired to the new home of the bride and groom at No. 127 Dix avenue.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF BAPTISTS CLOSES

Free Baptists Gather at Brush Ridge Church.

FIRST MEETING EVER HELD IN COUNTRY

Rev. John M. Davis, of Rio Grande College, Delivers the Leading Address of the Sessions—Is Heard with a Good Deal of Interest—New Officers Are Elected.

The forty-first annual conference of the Ohio State Association of Free Baptists was closed at the Grande Prairie church at Brush Ridge, Thursday evening, with the election of the following officers:

Rev. W. J. Fulton, of Rio Grand, president; Rev. G. C. Sprouse, of Cheshire, secretary; Rev. W. R. Myers, of Cleveland; Rev. W. W. Crabtree, of Albany, and Rev. J. H. Bagwill, of Morral, executive committee.

The forty-second annual conference will be held in Portsmouth next August.

For the first time in the history of the association, with every Free Baptist church in Ohio in its membership, the convention was held at a rural church this year. The Grand Prairie church at Brush Ridge was selected because it is one of the oldest and strongest rural churches in the state.

The convention convened, last Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, devotional services being conducted by Rev. W. W. Crabtree, of Albany. Rev. J. H. Bagwill, of Morral, the president of the association, presided, as he did at all of the sessions. Rev. Mr. Crabtree also preached the opening sermon.

Wednesday Sessions.

Wednesday morning, President Bagwill called the meeting to order. He delivered the welcome address, which was responded to by Rev. J. W. Wynn, of Green Camp. At 10 o'clock, Rev. W. J. Fulton, of Rio Grande, delivered the sermon.

Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock an able paper was read by Rev. T. H. Frake, D. D., of New Lyon, entitled "Baptist History." It was very interesting.

Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, Rev. G. C. Sprouse, of Cheshire, conducted the devotional exercises, followed by the principal address of the conference by Rev. John M. Davis, D. D., president of the Rio Grande college. He made a strong plea for morality and Christianity, declaring if there were any virtues in them, then they ought to be preached to the whole world.

Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock Rev. S. W. Chase, of Portsmouth, contributed an instructive paper on "Evangelistic Methods." The paper was discussed by Rev. T. H. Drake, Rev. J. M. Davis, Rev. H. M. Ford and Rev. J. H. Bagwill, many helpful points being brought out.

An Able Sermon.

Following the discussion, Rev. C. J. Rose, of Granville, secretary of the Regular Baptists' association, delivered an able sermon. Rev. W. H. O'Neil, of Bloomville, conducted the devotional exercises at the Thursday afternoon session. At 1:30 o'clock, the meeting was turned over to the young people of the state and a program carried out.

Misses Blanche and Glaydis Bagwill, of Morral, sang a duet, after which a paper, "Possibilities of Our Young People," was read by Miss Zoa Barnhart of Upper Sandusky. The paper was generally discussed.

Rev. H. M. Ford, D. D., of Hillsdale, Michigan, who for twenty-four years has been the general field secretary of the Free Baptist association, delivered an address, following the discussion, and the young people's program was closed with a rendition of a quartet composed of Revs. S. W. Chase, G. C. Sprouse, L. E. Cush and J. W. Bagwill.

Thursday evening, Rev. Mr. Cush conducted the devotional exercises at 7:30 o'clock, and an address was delivered by Rev. Mr. Ford.

Retiring president J. H. Bagwill states that the conference was one of the best ever held and it is altogether likely that it will be held in the country near Portsmouth next year.

THE SEVENTH ANNUAL REUNION OF FAMILY

Big Gathering in the John Washburn Grove Thursday.

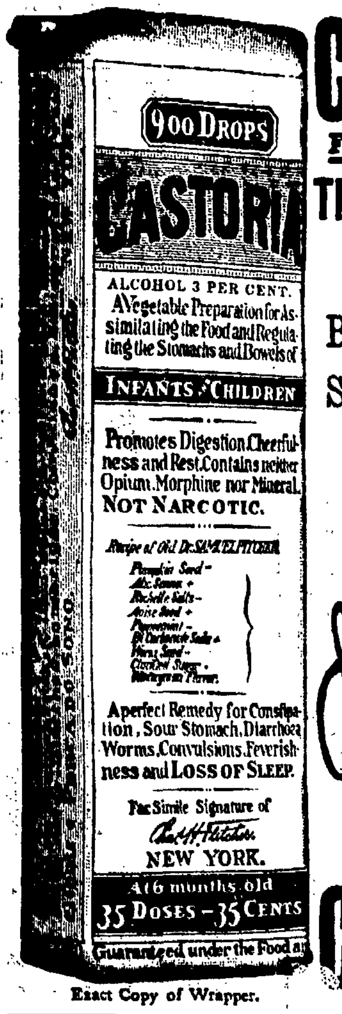
The seventh annual reunion of the Parker family was held in the grove on the John Washburn farm at Morral, Thursday, and was very largely attended, about 100 relatives and friends being in attendance.

During the day a big dinner was spread, and with interesting diversions and social intermingling, a delightful time was had.

A program was rendered in which John Parker, of Harpster, gave the history of the Parker family and remarks were made by William Parker, of Harpster, who also offered prayer. A recitation given by James Parker, of Morral, and also by Gerald James, of DeCliff. Others giving recitations were Daymond Parker, of LaRue, Ralph Sernbaugh, of Forest, Lissa Parker, Nellie Parker and Clayta Norton. A song was rendered by the audience and Blanche and Gladys Bagwill contributed a vocal selection. Officers were elected as follows:

Delta Lewis, of Harpster, president and Miss Edith Parker, of Harpster, secretary and treasurer.

The next reunion will be held at the home of Richard Parker, at Harpster, the last Wednesday of August next year.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MARION COUNTY BILLS HOLD BIG GATHERING

Annual Affair at the Fairground Monday.

THE BILLS ASSEMBLE FROM ALL QUARTERS

The Program of the Day Contains Many Pleasing Features—Races of Various Kinds Are Enjoyed During the Afternoon—The Picnic a Success in Every Way.

The Bills of Marion county celebrated Labor day with a rip-roaring time at the fairground.

Over 5,000 people attended the fourth annual picnic. Most of them took their suppers along with them and remained for the dancing and fireworks at night. Then, too, 1,000 or more people went out from the city.

It was like a county fair. Automobiles and all kinds of vehicles packed the grounds, and the remark frequently was heard, "It's just like a fair day." The only difference was you did not hear any noise distinctly peculiar to cattle and chickens. That was noticeably absent.

The street car company had a number of cars running, and the service was excellent. People kept them crowded nearly all day and evening. The picnic unquestionably was one of the big events of the year.

Expenses for the fireworks, the small purses hung up for the automobile, motorcycle and horse races and incidentals will be paid with revenue derived from the sale of bill badges, lunch stands on the grounds and the dancing. Last year, after all expenses were paid, the Bills had considerably over $100 left and this year, while their picnic was on a much larger scale, the indications are that they will have a nice little nest-egg for next year after all expenses are paid.

March to Grounds.

At 1 o'clock the Bills marched from the courthouse to the fairground. Shortly after they arrived the festivities began. The grandstand was jammed to overflowing and the racecourse fence was lined with people anxious to see the races.

The first event on the program was a three-mile motorcycle race between Roscoe Evans, Merwin Sweeney, Ralph Mautz and Vernon Klingel. They finished as named, the winning time being 4:52. The purse for this race was five dollars, three for the winner and two for second.

The five-mile motorcycle race was finished the same as the three-mile race, the time being 7:49. The purse was the same and was split the same way.

The free-for-all pace, in which Marion county horses were entered, caused much interest. This was won, three out of five, by Dick, owned by R. P. Perry, who drove his own horse. The best time in the four half-mile heats was 1:13. Others in the race were Bessie D, driven by William Drake, who took the first heat and got second ever afterward, thus taking down second money; Maud, driven by Grover Keil, got third in every heat, and therefore third money; and Old Dan, driven by J. E. Blankey, got fourth place in two heats, then was drawn. The time was 1:16, 1:13, 1:13 and 1:15. The purse was $15.

Then there was the free-for-all trot. Five horses were entered in this race and it was won in straight heats by Governor Nash, owned and driven by O. C. Danner. Tommy O, driven by R. P. Perry, got second each time, and Hankey Rue, driven by J. J. Retterer, got third place each time. In the third heat Kilbuck, driven by S. W. Wise, got fourth place in the first two heats, then fell back to fifth place in the fourth heat, and Edward D, driven by John Fellmuth, who got fifth the first two heats, took fourth place this heat

Division of Money.

This did not make any difference in the $15 purse, which was divided four ways. The money was divided as follows: Governor Nash, first; Tommy O, second; Hankey Rue, third; Kilbuck, fourth.

The time for the three half-mile heats was 1:23½, 1:19 and 1:16.

The five-mile automobile race was easily won by Elmo Leadley, of Richwood, with a little Buick, in eight minutes and forty-six seconds. Other contestants were C. A. Meddles, of Richwood, with a Buick car; Charles Hofstetter, of Marion, with a Cole-30, and J. W. Patton, of Marion, with a Maxwell. The purse was $15.

The five-mile-match race between Elmo Leadley in his Buick and Charles Hofstetter in his Cole-30, was won by Leadley easily in eight minutes and twenty-three seconds. The purse for this race amounted to $15.

The officials were W. H. Foster, starter; Michael Barrett, announcer; W. W. Klinefelter and Nelson Abel, timers; Claude Walters and William H. Harkness, judges.

The fireworks in the evening were much enjoyed by the thousands who gathered to see them.

The following committee had charge of the affair:

Bill Beatty, Bill Bland, Bill Strayer, Bill Sanders, Bill McGrath, Bill Haberman, Bill Drigel, Bill Holverstott, Bill Foster, Bill Meily, Bill Harkness, Bill Jones and Bill Klinefelter.

All's fair in love and war, but most men would rather be in love than in a fight.

Query—Is it permissible to get intoxicated on love in a dry town?

RECIPROCITY GAINS ALL OVER CANADA, BUT OPPOSITION HOPEFUL.

R. L. BORDEN R. P. ROBBIN

Reciprocity appears to be gaining in Canada. The danger points in the government armor are due to other policies, particularly the Canadian navy, which has a large part of anti-imperial Quebec by the ears.

On the reciprocity issue in Ontario and in the maritime provinces in the Canadian West, upon as good information as can be gathered there, everything indicates that the government will hold its own or even improve its position. Despite all this, however, it may be said that R. L. Borden, the conservative leader, has been speaking in the English counties against reciprocity with what he considers excellent effect. He is greatly improved as a platform orator.

Mr. L. P. Pelletier, formerly conservative Attorney General of the province, is contesting Quebec county. The foes of reciprocity, under Richard McBride, are fighting the Laurier government vigorously in British Columbia.

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SEEKING THE VANDALS WHO DEFACE POSTOFFICE

People Write Great Letters in Ink on Lobby Walls.

THE FEDERAL SLEUTHS NEEDED IN THE CASE

The Law Is Very Severe in Its Penalties for Defacing Public Property and If Arrested Culprits Must Stand Trial in the Federal Courts. Postmaster Indignant.

Postmaster M. B. Dickerson is on the trail of vandals, who entered the postoffice lobby, Sunday night, and wrote over the walls in great letters in ink. The big letters, or initials, are the first thing noticeable on entering the lobby and the postmaster is justly indignant.

The postal authorities at Washington have been notified, and the probabilities are that federal sleuths will be put on the case, as it is flagrant violation of the federal law to deface government property in any manner.

"If these culprits are apprehended, you can say in your paper that they will be severely handled," said Postmaster Dickerson, Tuesday. "They'll not be prosecuted by state courts, either. They'll be taken to Toledo and prosecuted before the federal court. The penalty can not be too severe for any one who will come in here and deface these walls in such a manner."

The letters, or initials, written over the walls, in big letters, are: "T. B.," "M. D.," "R. R.," "R. T.," "W. H.," and "W. T." These are written in a number of places.

Mr. Dickerson believes that the culprits wadded up blotters, then soaked them with the ink in the wells on the lobby desks and made the letters on the walls.

There has been considerable complaint heretofore about people writing their initials on the walls in small letters with lead pencil, and a vigorous effort will be made to stop the practice.

UNITED IN MARRIAGE AT THE PARSONAGE

Miss Mary G. Eibling and Mr. John Philip Ebert.

Miss Mary Gertrude Eibling and Mr. John Philip Ebert were united in marriage at the Salem's Evangelical Protestant parsonage by Rev. Joseph Reinicke, Sunday morning at 6.30 o'clock. Immediately after the ceremony the young people left for a short wedding trip.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Eibling, of Bain avenue, and is a young woman of pleasing personality. For a number of years she has been employed in the hosiery department of the Uhler-Phillips store, during which time she has gained a wide acquaintance of admiring friends

Mr. Ebert is a son of Philip Ebert, of Campbell street, and for some time has been employed by the National Cash Register company, of Dayton, at which place Mr. and Mrs. Ebert will make their home. The groom is well known in Marion and is highly esteemed.

MISS LUCILE NELSON WILL MAKE JOURNEY

Will Circle the Earth Before She Returns Home.

Miss Lucile Nelson, of south Main street, left for Detroit Tuesday morning, where she will join Dr. and Mrs. Kirby, of Hillsdale, Michigan, for a trip around the world. Enroute to Calcutta, India, where Mr. and Mrs. Kirby expect to reside, the party will visit all the principal places of interest. Miss Nelson expects to spend part of the winter with them, and will then continue her journey to China, the Philippines, Hawaii, Vancouver and make the return trip home through California.

Miss Nelson who has been the head of the Domestic Science department of the Hillsdale college, has secured a leave of absence to make her journey and her place is being filled by Miss Ruth Fisher, of this city. Miss Nelson is well known here, having been a member of the local High school of the class of 1905. She is a graduate of Mills college, California, and took a post-graduate course in the Chicago university.

ARE FILING CLAIMS AGAINST COMPANY

Position Taken by the Creditors of the C., D. & M.

Claims against the Columbus, Delaware & Marion Railway company, which is in the hands of two receivers appointed by the courts of Marion and Franklin counties, are being filed with Special Master Commissioner James H. Eymon, who was appointed by Judge Daniel Babst, of Crestline.

Tuesday was the first day for the filing of the claims and a number of large amounts were filed. The total claims amount to about $200,000. These have all been filed in Franklin county and the probabilities are that they will all be filed here, so that the creditors will be on the safe side.

"The creditors all say that it is no fault of theirs when they file their claims," declared Attorney Eymon Tuesday morning," and they are filing to be safe."

The last day for the filing of the claims will be September 11, when they will be heard.

MORE VICTIMS OF "POISONED PEN"

Another Easton Pastor Receives Many Scurrilous Letters.

Easton, Pa., Sept. 5.—Every day brings to light more victims of the "poisoned pen" Miss Harriet De Witt, daughter of a prominent and well-to-do merchant, is accused of wielding, and consequently there is no diminution of interest in the remarkable case. It became known today that a second clergyman, the Rev. Paul S. Leinbach has received forty scurrilous epistles, while A. D. Shulenberg, who was to have become a member of the high school faculty, was driven from Easton shortly after he came here by an anonymous letter. Meantime, while the country for miles around is in a ferment over the disclosures, Miss Dewitt, who is held under bonds by the postoffice authorities, pursues her way apparently the most unconcerned person in Easton.

Clothes do not make the man—especially breach of promise suits.

ELSIE OVERDORFF IS SEEKING A DIVORCE

Plaintiff Charges Husband with Many Things.

IS VICTIM OF ASSAULT NEAR WALDO MONDAY

Mrs. Overdorff Says Husband Takes Their Child from Her and Disappears—He Does Not Provide for Her in Long Time—An Injunction Granted—Court Notes.

While driving near Waldo, Monday, Elsie Overdorff was viciously assaulted by her husband, who then abducted their child and took it to the home of his father, Simon Overdorff, according to a divorce petition filed by Mrs. Overdorff, througth Attorneys Scofield & Durfee, in the court of common pleas, Tuesday afternoon.

The plaintiff alleges that her husband struck her in the face with his fist, then struck her in the breast, after stopping the horse. He then took the child and disappeared.

The Overdorffs were married, March 22, 1908, and one child, a girl, was born to them. Eight months after their marriage, she says they went to live with her parents, where they resided until August 22, 1910. She says her husband then disappeared and she did not see anything of him until he assaulted her along the roadside near Waldo, Monday. She says that shortly after their marriage he developed a nasty disposition, and says since his departure in 1910 he has contributed nothing toward her support save two dollars a week for the support of the child. She asks custody of the child.

Judge W. S. Spencer granted an injunction restraining the husband and his father from interfering with her in the custody of the child.

On the grounds of three years' wilful absence, Bertha C. Ankrim, through Attorney Louis E. Myers, brought an action for a divorce from David Hall Ankrim, Tuesday, in the court of common pleas.

The Ankrims were married in Columbus, May 29, 1905. They have no children.

P. W. Turner, through Attorneys Prophet & Eastman, of Lima, brought an action to recover on a promissory note of $400 in the court of common pleas, Tuesday.

VISIT THE CITY ON WEDDING JOURNEY

Miss Alice Martin and Mr. Albert McCalla Married.

Miss Alice Martin, of Columbus, head trimmer last season for Mrs. E. Castner, was united in marriage in Columbus, Saturday evening, to Mr. Albert McCalla, of that city. The ceremony was performed at the Broad-Street Presbyterian parsonage by Dr. Palmer.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. McCalla left on a two-weeks motor trip to Michigan. They stopped in this city, Sunday afternoon, and called on Marion friends. They will reside in the Capital City.

During her short residence in Marion, Mrs. McCalla made many friends and endeared herself to all who knew her.

VERY NICE INCREASE IN THE ENROLLMENT

Public Schools Are Opened for Work Tuesday Morning.

SLIGHT FALLING OFF IN THE HIGH SCHOOL

An Increase of 103 in the Grades. The Enrollment Will Probably Go Far Above 3,000 Within the Next Few Weeks—Superintendent Hartman Is Highly Pleased.

A nice increase in the population of Marion during the past few months is indicated by the enrollment reported by the teachers in the local schools Tuesday. The schools opened properly for the school year Tuesday, and the total number of pupils in the grades is given at 2,435, an increase of 103 over that of last year at the opening of school.

The total enrollment in the entire schools, including the High school, will probably show an excellent increase, although there is a slight falling off in the enrollment in the High school. Definite figures on the High school enrollment are not available, but it is placed at about 375. Those classified, Tuesday, numbered 355. The total enrollment, including the High school, therefore, will be approximately 2,800, an increase of 100 over that of last year.

A large number of children will enter the schools during the next few weeks, as is the case every year, and the total enrollmnt will range far above 3,000 when the school work is on in full blast. Last year in the middle of the year the total enrollment was 3,271.

Is Well Pleased.

Superintendent Henry A. Hartman Tuesday stated that he was highly pleased with the outlook and was gratified by the increase, although it will be difficult to handle the children until the new buildings are ready for occupancy. The heaviest increase is shown at the Davids Street building, where there are 278 pupils in six rooms, and at the Olney Avenue building, where there are 340 children in eight rooms. In the East End there is a marked falling off.

The following are the enrollments at the various buildings reported Tuesday, the first figure being the enrollment this year and the second those at the corresponding period last year:

Central, 258, 221; Greenwood, 296, 334; State, 234, 224; Lincoln, 200, 181; Silver, 300, 316; Forest Lawn, 289, 281; Davids, 278, 225; Olney, 340, 290; Oak, 240, 250.

It will be necessary, on account of the congestion in the West End, to hold school during half days for half of the children at the Davids Street building and probably in the Olney Avenue building in the lower grades. School will be held in the rooms on Davids street used for that purpose last year.

In Bankruptcy Court.

Samuel H. DeLong, trustee-in-bankruptcy for Francis M. Baldwin and his wife, Millie J. Baldwin, has filed supplement petitons in the court of Referee-in-Bankruptcy Hoke W. Donithen to sell at private sale the real estate. It was to be sold May 22, but was not sold. The hearing will be held before Referee Donithen, September 26. The real estate consists of several houses and lots. The supplemental petitions were filed by Attorney Hayes Thompson.

GERMAN METHODISTS END THEIR CONFERENCE

Assignments Made During Pittsburgh Meeting.

REV. C. E. BUERKLE WILL LEAVE THE CITY

Is Transferred to Allegheny, Pennsylvania—Rev. John C. Guenther Is Sent from Allegheny to Marion. Rev. George Wahl Transferred to Church in Pittsburgh.

The forty-eighth annual sessions of the central German conference of the Methodist Episcopal church closed its sessions at Pittsburgh, Sunday evening.

The following ministers were ordained by Bishop Earl Cranston, of Washington, D. C.:

Rev. Fred Roehm, of Greenville, Pennsylvania, deacon; Rev. Robert A. Blume, of Spencerville, elder, and Rev. Paul W. Plueddemann, of Clarington, elder.

In the assigning of the pastors to their various places Marion county lost two very highly-esteemed pastors who were transferred from this district to churches in Pennsylvania.

Rev. C. E. Buerkle, who has occupied and filled the pulpit of the local church for the past seven years has been transferred to the church at Allegheny, Pennsylvania. The pulpit here will be filled by Rev. John C. Guenther, who will come from the Allegheny church.

Rev. George Wahl, who has had charge of the Marion circuit for the past five years, has been transferred to the Second church at Pittsburg and he will be succeeded by Rev. Theodore Lagemann, of New Matomas.

Work of Ministers.

Both Rev. Mr. Buerkle and Rev. Mr. Wahl have made many friends during their residence in this county, and their departure from the city will be learned with regret not only by the members of their congregations, but by the general public. Rev. Mr. Buerkle has done much for the building up of his church, and during the years he has been in Marion he has not only been a help to his own congregation but has done much for charity among the poor and sick of the city. Rev. Mr. Buerkle and family will leave a week from Thursday to take up the new charge.

Rev. Mr. Wahl has been very successful among the churches in his pastorate and his parishoners regret to have him leave the circuit.

The Assignments.

The following is a list of the appointments for the Northern Ohio district:

F. W. Mueller, district superintendent, Berea; Akron, John R. Bodmer; North Side Pittsburgh, and McKeesport, C. E. Buerkle, one to be supplied; Berea, Ohio, to be supplied; Canal Dover, Carl Ertel; Bucyrus, Edward W. Bockstahler; Clarington, Paul Pleuddermann; Cleveland, Bethany and Salem, George Mitter, one to be supplied; First church, B. F. Boel; St. Paul, Christian Baumann; Zion, Cleveland, Dietrich Worthmann; Columbus, First church, Charles E. Ploch; Galion, Robert Blume; Hannibal, John B. Ackermann; Marietta, John Oetjent; Marion, J. C. Guenther; Marion circuit, Theodore Lagemann; Monroefield, to be supplied; Pittsburgh, First church, Timothy A. Spreckmann; Park Avenue, Daniel Harrar; second church, George Wahl; Vermillion, Emil G. Boch; Wheeling, West Virginia, Louis S. Katterhervey; Sandusky and LaCarne, Henry Pullmann.

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REPUBLICAN TICKET

For Mayor—Don E J Brockett

For President of Council—Earl T Smart

For Auditor—Harry E Mason

For Treasurer—G F Earle

For Solicitor—Fred W Warner

For Councilmen at Large—Thomas F Hunter E E Nebergall and Joseph Sneckenberger

For Ward Councilmen—Harry Krause First F E Blazer Second George Smith Third W J Myers Fourth

For Board of Education—A B Lawson George H Dutton and George F Sauer

Township Trustees—Clark Dix John W Klinefelter and S N Titus

Justice of the Peace—John F Crawley and George McKinley

Township Clerk—E E Osbun

Constable—Benjamin F Pigford and J A Schickadantz

The Ballots Cast

There were a lot of stay at homers in the Republican primary Tuesday Only a small proportion of the Republicans of the city turned out in the rain to cast their ballots for the candidates

Of course the candidates for mayor aroused the greatest interest and Don E J Brockett popular councilman walked away with the nomination with perfect ease his closest rival being Police Captain A L Bond who received 227 votes Brockett polled 381 receiving a majority over Bond of 154

Mayor John G Seiter who was a candidate for reelection made a poor showing receiving only 190 votes E A Slagle a former policeman was the low candidate for the mayoralty nomination with fifty eight votes

Earl T Smart candidate for re election as president of the city council had no opposition He received 687 votes

Race for Auditor

For auditor Harry E Mason had no opposition his vote being 687 G F Earle and P C Sells made a neck and neck race for the nomination of treasurer Earle winning out by three votes This may be changed by the official vote however Earle received 377 and Sells 374

For solicitor Fred W Warner had no opposition and was nominated by a vote of 641

The nominees for councilmen at large are Thomas F Hunter E D Nebergall and Joseph Sneckenberger they being the only candidates Their total votes were Hunter 477 Nebergall 583 and Sneckenberger 518

Four candidates were nominated for ward councilmen the only contest being in the Second ward where F E Blazer defeated E H Mounts and James W Wirts Blazer received fifty six votes Mounts twenty-eight and Wirts fifteen The other ward councilmanic nominees are Harry Krause who received fifty seven votes in the First ward George Smith 237 in the Third and W J Myers who received 195 votes in the Fourth ward

The School Board

The fight was a merry one for nomination for school board and Dickerson who has served on the board for more than fourteen years met his defeat But he met it fighting Many forces were aligned against him and he went down with a brave struggle It is estimated that several hundred women participated in the school board fight and a majority of these it is said were lined up against him He received 351 votes

The three candidates nominated for school board received the following vote George H Dutton 606 A P Lawson 551 and George F Sauer 561

Marion Township

A pitifully light vote was cast in Marion township Clark Dix Police Chief John W Klinefelter and S N Titus candidates for reelection for township trustees had no opposition Their vote was Dix 566 Klinefelter 580 and Titus 610

For justice of the peace there were four candidates John F Crawley and George McKinley being nominated The vote was Crawley 460 McKinley 309 E E Andrews 262 J W Thompson 21 and E E Shaw 153

E E Osbun was nominated for township clerk without opposition his vote being [illegible] and the vote for constable was Benjamin F Pigford 557 J A Schickadantz [illegible]

Vote by Precincts

First A Mayor Bond 1 Brockett 19 Seiter 9 Slagle president of council Smart 36 treasurer Earle 13 Sells 29 auditor Mason 38 solicitor Warner 40 councilmen at large Hunter 9 Nebergall 26 Sneckenberger 30 school board Dickerson 23 Dutton 30 Lawson 9 Sauer 3

First B Mayor Bond 1 Brockett 15 Seiter 7 Slagle 11 president of council Smart 33 treasurer Earle 11 Sells 25 auditor Mason solicitor Warner 37 councilmen at large Hunter 16 Nebergall 21 Sneckenberger 37 school board Dickerson 12 Dutton 27 Lawson 27 Sauer 24

First C Mayor Bond 9 Brockett 27 Slagle 1 president of the council Smart 30 treasurer Earle 17 Sells 18 auditor Mason 21 solicitor Warner 31 councilmen at large Hunter 21 Nebergall 25 Sneckenberger 24 school board Dickerson 19 Dutton 41 Lawson 1 Sauer 30

First D Mayor Bond 21 Brockett 12 Seiter 6 Slagle 8 president of the council Smart 36 treasurer Earle 1 Sells 2 Auditor Mason 2 solicitor Warner 31 councilmen at large Hunter 21 Nebergall 27 Sneckenberger 6 school board Dickerson 1 Dutton 3 Lawson Sauer 36

First E Mayor Bond 1 Brockett 22 Seiter 12 Slagle 2 president of the council Smart 38 treasurer Earle 11 Sells 3 auditor Mason 16 solicitor Warner council men at large Hunter 21 Nebergall Sneckenberger 6 school board Dickerson 15 Dutton 0 Lawson 32 Sauer 37

Second A Mayor Bond 11 Brockett 10 Seiter 6 Slagle president of the council Smart 22 treasurer Earle 11 Sells 10 auditor Mason 21 solicitor Warner 11 councilmen at large Hunter 14 Nebergall 15 Sneckenberger 16 school board Dickerson 11 Dutton 11 Lawson 16 Sauer 16

Second B Mayor Bond 15 Brockett 12 Seiter Slagle 2 president of the council Smart 20 treasurer Earle 12 Sells 1 auditor Mason 2 solicitor Warner 22 councilmen at large Hunter 22 Nebergall 15 Sneckenberger 16 school board Dickerson 17 Dutton Lawson 21 Sauer 14

Second C Mayor Bond 17 Brockett 21 Seiter 5 Slagle president of the council Smart 29 treasurer Earle 15 Sells 22 auditor Mason 16 solicitor Warner 21 councilmen at large Hunter 19 Nebergall 27 Sneckenberger 21 school board Dickerson 17 Dutton 1 Lawson 22 Sauer 31

Third A Mayor Bond 2 Brockett 28 Seiter 7 Slagle 1 president of council Smart 34 treasurer Earle 3 Sells 23 auditor Mason 1 solicitor Warner 2 councilmen at large Hunter 40 Nebergall 15 Sneckenberger 36 school board Dickerson 31 Dutton 45 Lawson 29 Sauer 41

Third B—Mayor Bond 20 Brockett 18 Seiter 19 Slagle 1 president of council Smart 49 treasurer Earle 28 Sells 28 auditor Mason 16 solicitor 49 councilmen at large Hunter 36 Nebergall 13 Sneckenberger 33 school board Dickerson 28 Dutton 37 Lawson 35 Sauer 16

Third C Mayor Bond 16 Brockett 29 Seiter 19 Slagle 1 president of council Smart 55 treasurer Earle 29 Sells 25 auditor Mason 7 solicitor Warner 64 councilmen at large Hunter 46 Nebergall 31 Sneckenberger 33 school board Dickerson 19 Dutton 4 Lawson 48 Sauer 45

Third D Mayor Bond 11 Brockett 17 Seiter 5 Slagle 3 president of council Smart 27 treasurer Earle 11 Sells 12 auditor Mason 26 solicitor Warner 25 councilmen at large Hunter 24 Nebergall 20 Sneckenberger 17 school board Dickerson 1 Dutton 29 Lawson 23 Sauer 2

Third E Mayor Bond 6 Brockett 27 Seiter 6 Slagle 4 president of council Smart treasurer Earle 21 Sells 16 auditor Mason 22 solicitor Warner 36 councilmen at large Hunter 24 Nebergall 23 Sneckenberger 28 school board Dickerson 21 Dutton 57 Lawson 23 Sauer 24

Third F Mayor Bond 10 Brockett 15 Seiter 3 Slagle 1 president of council Smart 20 treasurer Earle 8 Sells 12 auditor Mason 13 solicitor Warner 20 councilmen at large Hunter 14 Nebergall 11 Sneckenberger 21 school board Dickerson 12 Dutton 21 Lawson 13 Sauer 16

Fourth A Mayor Bond 20 Brockett 10 Seiter Slagle president of council Smart 81 treasurer Earle 60 Sells auditor Mason 81 solicitor Warner 81 councilmen at large Hunter 58 Nebergall 6 Sneckenberger 6 school board Dickerson Dutton 60 Lawson 3 Sauer 69

Fourth B Mayor Bond 10 Brockett 24 Seiter 27 Slagle 2 president of council Smart 60 treasurer Earle Sells 27 auditor Mason 6 solicitor Warner 6 councilmen at large Hunter 1 Nebergall 1 Sneckenberger 2 school board Dickerson 3 Dutton 60 Lawson 51 Sauer

Fourth C Mayor Bond Brockett 10 Seiter 11 Slagle 3 president of council Smart 8 treasurer Earle Sells 1 auditor Mason solicitor Warner 58 councilmen at large Hunter 44 Nebergall 4 Sneckenberger 11 school board Dickerson Dutton 1 Lawson 48 Sauer

Marion North School board Dickerson Dutton Lawson Sauer

Marion South School board Dickerson 1 Dutton 1 Lawson 6 Sauer 1

Horse Is Killed

Big Four passenger train No [illegible] westbound struck a horse in charge of Samuel Trune [illegible] the Main street fruit vendor as he [illegible] north [illegible] street crossing of the Erie tracks this afternoon about 4 30 o'clock The horse was almost instantly killed The train was brought to a stop near [illegible] street [illegible] was not [illegible] horse and [illegible] injury

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To render muslin draperies children's clothing [illegible] fireproof dissolve a little [illegible] a good teaspoonful of sal ammoniac in the last rinsing water

CLAUDE D. WALTERS IS NAMED BY DEMOCRATS

Selection for Mayor by a Very Broad Margin

C S LIPPINCOTT IS IN SECOND POSITION

W L Cassidy William Morgenthaler and Louis Scherff Draw but Lightly—The Democratic Voters Are Given a Surprise—The Ticket Selected by the Democrats

THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET

For Mayor—Claude D Walters

For President of Council—Jacob J Rudolph

For Auditor—William J Fies

For Treasurer—Charles W Criswell

For Solicitor—Fred F Guthery

For Councilman-at-Large—J J Lucas Levi Roseberry and J H DeLuder

For Ward Councilman—W E Ullom First J J Clary Second B B Carter Third A J Sautter Fourth

For Board of Education—J Wilbur Jacoby M A Pickering and Mrs A M Hutchinson

Township Trustee—W D Whipps

For Treasurer—C P Gailey

For Justice of the Peace—Charles J Gompf and Charles W Haberman

For Constable—James F Ullom

How They Run

City Treasurer Claude D Walters ran like a race horse in Tuesday's Democratic primary defeating his four opponents easily His total vote was 618 S C Lippincott who came next to him had 234 votes Walters majority over Lippincott being 384

Walters nomination was predicted by those who professed to be in touch with the situation and his nomination was not much of a surprise

The other candidates received the following vote W L Cassidy seventy two William Morganthaler ninety eight and former Mayor Louis Scherff ninety seven

For president of the council Jacob J Rudolph had no opposition his vote being 731 William J Fies also had no opposition for auditor his vote being 721

A Close Contest

For treasurer the contest was between Charles W Criswell and M A Mickley Criswell winning the nomination by thirty five votes Criswell received 477 votes while Mickley got 442

Fred F Guthery had no opposition for solicitor he receiving 756 votes

There were no contests for councilmen at large the nominees being J J Lucas and Levi Roseberry The Democrats were entitled to three nominees but they only had two names on their tickets The vote for councilmen at large was J J Lucas 642 Levi Roseberry 410

J H DeLuder received twenty three votes and was declared the third nominee for councilman at large

For ward councilmen there were two contests In the First ward W E Ullom was nominated without opposition by 1 votes In the Second ward J J Clary defeated John Schmidt Clary receiving 112 against Schmidt's fifty one In the Third ward B B Carter defeated Ray J Thomas receiving 1 9 votes against Thomas 106 A J Sautter was nominated in the Fourth ward his vote being 183

Doubt Existing

Doubt existed as to who would be the Democratic nominees on the board of education No doubt existed as to J Wilbur Jacoby and M A Pickering for they received 648 and 722 votes respectively These two candidates were the only two on the ticket and consequently many wrote in the names of any one they chose to write For example many wrote in the names of women Mrs N J Gebhart receiving four votes Harry Bell got five votes in his own precinct and board of elections members said Tuesday night that would probably be enough to nominate him

It developed Wednesday morning that Mrs A M Hutchinson had received seven votes and she thus became the third nominee

W D Whipps had no opposition for township trustee He received 6 6 votes

The scrap for justice of the peace was lively Charles Gompf candidate for renomination won easily He received 1 votes Charles Haberman 18 Harvey S Martin 249 J W Schoonlaub 371

For constable James F Ullom led the entire ticket receiving 821 votes

Vote by Precincts

First A Mayor W L Cassidy 9 Lippincott 8 Morgenthaler 6 Scherff 9 Walters 5 president of council Rudolph 67 treasurer Criswell 38 Mickley 33 auditor Fies 4 solicitor Guthery 60 council at large Lucas Roseberry 0 school board Jacoby 59 Pickering 4

First B Mayor Cassidy Lippincott 3 Morgenthaler 1 Scherff 4 Walters 81 president of the council Rudolph 50 treasurer Criswell 38 Mickley 5 auditor Fies 5 solicitor Guthery 61 councilmen at large Lucas 5 Roseberry 37 school board Jacoby 1 Pickering 40

First C—Mayor Cassidy 1 Lippincott 0 Morgenthaler 5 Scherff Walters 0 president of the council Rudolph 1 treasurer Criswell 24 Mickley 16 auditor Fies 30 solicitor Guthery councilmen at large Lucas 3 Roseberry 1 school board Jacoby Pickering 5

First D—Mayor Cassidy 2 Lippincott 8 Morgenthaler 2 Scherff 2 Walters 14 president of council Rudolph 24 treasurer Criswell 14 Mickley 11 auditor Fies 2 solicitor Guthery 24, councilmen at large Lucas 17 Roseberry 17 school board, Jacoby 16 Pickering 21

First E—Mayor Cassidy 3 Lippincott 21 Morgenthaler Scherff 5 Walters 9 president of council Rudolph 19 treasurer Criswell 15 Mickley 14 auditor Fies 26 solicitor Guthery 28 councilmen at large Lucas 22 Roseberry 18 school board Jacoby Pickering 28

Second A—Mayor Cassidy 6 Lippincott 4 Morgenthaler 1 Scherff 1 Walters 72 president of council Rudolph 41 treasurer Criswell 24 Mickley 31 auditor Fies 37 solicitor Guthery 42 councilmen at at large Lucas 43 Roseberry 19 school board Jacoby 4 Pickering 46

Second B—Mayor Cassidy Lippincott 7 Morgenthaler 2 Scherff 2 Walters 2 president of the council Rudolph 24 treasurer Criswell 21 Mickley 12 auditor Fies 28 solicitor Guthery 2 councilmen at large Lucas 30 Roseberry 15 school board Jacoby Pickering 17

Second C—Mayor Cassidy 10 Lippincott 5 Morgenthaler 7 Scherff 8 Walters 7 president of council Rudolph 64 treasurer Criswell 72 Mickley 37 auditor Fies 6 solicitor Guthery 68 council at large Lucas 58 Roseberry 20 school board Jacoby 6 Pickering 3

Third A—Mayor Cassidy 5 Lippincott 25 Morgenthaler 9 Scherff 5 Walters 31 president of council Rudolph 7 treasurer Criswell 37 Mickley 2 auditor Fies 62 solicitor Guthery 63 council at large Lucas 43 Roseberry 28 school board Jacoby 41, Pickering 58

Third B—Mayor Cassidy 4 Lippincott 24 Morgenthaler 12 Scherff 1 Walters 26 president of council Rudolph treasurer Criswell 25 Mickley 27 auditor Fies 5 solicitor Guthery 54 council at large Lucas 37 Roseberry 24 school board Jacoby 36 Pickering 44

Third C—Mayor Cassidy 1 Lippincott 31 Morganthaler 9 Scherff Walters 36 president of the council Rudolph 49 treasurer Criswell 7 Mickley 70 auditor Fies 57 solicitor Guthery 60 council men at large Lucas 0 Roseberry 19 school board Jacoby 54 Pickering 55

Third D—Mayor Cassidy 0 Lippincott 14 Morgenthaler 2 Scherff 3 Walters 17 president of council Rudolph 22 treasurer Criswell 20 Mickley 9 auditor Fies 26 solicitor Guthery 14 councilmen at large Lucas 21 Roseberry 14 school board Jacoby 11 Pickering 22

Third E—Mayor Cassidy 6 Lippincott 7 Morgenthaler 8 Scherff 6 Walters 22 president of council Rudolph 32 treasurer Criswell 16 Mickley 18 auditor Fies 23 solicitor Guthery 25 councilmen at large Lucas 23 Roseberry 20 school board Jacoby 30 Pickering 58

Third F—Mayor Cassidy 2 Lippincott 15 Morgenthaler 3 Scherff 4 Walters 4 president of council Rudolph 19 treasurer Criswell 14 Mickley auditor Fies 19 solicitor Guthery 21 councilmen at large Lucas 13 Roseberry 11 school board Jacoby 12 Pickering 21

Fourth A—Mayor Cassidy 10 Lippincott 33 Morgenthaler 8 Scherff 13 Walters 49 president of council Rudolph 76 treasurer Criswell 36 Mickley 62 auditor Fies 8 solicitor Guthery 85 councilmen at large Lucas 80 Roseberry 46 school board Jacoby 68 Pickering 7

Fourth B—Mayor Cassidy 4 Lippincott 41 Morgenthaler 14 Scherff 13 Walters 26 president of council Rudolph 7 treasurer Criswell 41 Mickley 2 auditor Fies 71 solicitor Guthery 79 councilmen at large Lucas 5 Roseberry 42 school board Jacoby 67 Pickering 12

Fourth C Mayor Cassidy 2 Lippincott 2 Morgenthaler 4 Scherff 2 Walters 12 president of council Rudolph treasurer Criswell 2 Mickley 16 auditor Fies 36 solicitor Guthery 41 councilmen at large Lucas 2 Roseberry 1 school board Jacoby 41 Pickering 5

Marion North—School board Jacoby 2 Pickering 2

Marion South School board Jacoby 2 Pickering 4

ARIZONA ASYLUM SWEPT BY FLAMES

Some Thrilling Scenes Are Enacted as Maniacs Are Rescued

Phoenix Ariz Sept 6 Thrilling scenes were enacted at the Arizona insane asylum yesterday when fire swept through the east wing of the building in which scores of insane persons were quartered That no lives were lost is regarded as marvelous in view of the difficulties presented to the firemen

When the flames burst forth the panic among the inmates was great especially among those in the violent ward Many of the maniacs had to be placed in straight jackets and then forcibly carried from the building fighting their rescuers Shortly after all the inmates had been removed the roof of the east wing fell in

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When washing fine china or cut glass a heavy Turkish towel on the bottom of the dishpan will often keep the dishes from nipping

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Anyway the knocker doesn't drop his hammer the minute the whistle blows

THE RURAL PRECINCTS NAME CANDIDATES

Those in the Fight for Town and Township Offices

MUCH INTEREST IS SHOWN IN ELECTION

Contests at Various Points Spirited While in Other Places the Results Are Practically Assured Before the Election—Names of Those Chosen for the Coming Race

Much interest in the polling in the various rural precincts was manifested by the voters of both parties and a very good vote was recorded The results in the township are as follows

Big Island

Republicans—Township trustees J E Lyddane A O Rhoades and C J Smith township clerk George Rhoades justice of the peace D C Dall treasurer Charles E Knapher school board James Merhan George Wood Samuel Gricely A C Johnston and C E Birch constable Stanton Busler assessor Eugene A Neville

Democrats—Trustees John Oesterley Herbert Davis John Leie treasurer Lovell H Guther clerk G J Luvisi justice of the peace B Marks constable Samuel Rush school board P D Dunn and J W Kennedy assessor Orrin McClellan

Bowling Green

Democrats — Trustees Wilton Blue G A Raub David Trihaft clerk W A Siger treasurer T J Cronley constable John Thomas assessor Charles Adams and Joseph Rizor tie vote school board I I Barth and S O Pell justice of the peace W I Denman

Caledonia

Republicans—Mayor M H Underwood clerk J R Wolfe treasurer William Fields marshal C B Underwood councilmen J F Baker G W Ault J J Anderson S F Doyle M A Neal and F D Burt board of education C M Clark R A Pierce and H G Itey assessor J C Seckel

Democrats Mayor Thomas A Cruber clerk J C Donnenwirth treasurer Charles W Pommert marshal Philip Meister councilmen A M Biltz Charles F Timpson Charles R Harrison Hollis N Gettys Fred W Albright and Thomas J Pittman school board Andrew Hinds and Louis J Rinker assessor Henry Neuffer

Claridon

Republicans — Trustees Frank Smith and Wilbur Ledrow treasurer J W Thew justice of the peace C W Ault assessor Claridon north W O Bayles school board Arch Field clerk B C Decker constable Philip Meister

Democrats Trustee C J Rinker William M Williams and Christian Koch clerk W H Roberts treasurer Fred Fusch justice of the peace Jerome Ault ditch supervisor James Morton school board Jacob Smith J F Fetter constable Charles Squibb assessor Claridon north W B Kellogg Claridon south Charles Haruff

Grand

Republican — Trustees W H Rhoads C W Anderson and George Everett treasurer Rolla Sanford clerk F M Miles school board William H Osbun C H Bower and F M Miles

Democrats—Trustees A J McIntire J B Guthery and J H Lift treasurer W J Bloomingdale clerk Henry Rossman school board W W Peters J P Roshan assessor G G Roshan

Grand Prairie

Republicans — Trustees F S Campbell and Milton Morral clerk W D Heller school board J P Robinson assessor J B Campbell

Democrats—Treasurer Elmer Van Meter school board F J Baer John Bibler clerk Elmer F Bibler

Green Camp Township

Republicans—Trustees J C Porter K J Coffey and Joel Sutritt clerk M A Porter treasurer J R Petty assessor Frank Wilson justice of the peace C J Patton member of school board J Everett

Democrats—Trustees J D Chard and Elmer Bricker clerk R F Boxwell treasurer Albert Augenstine assessor J C McClelland members of school board Jacob Carey and Fred Bricker

Green Camp Village

Republicans—Mayor Charles Williams clerk M A Porter treasurer M M Savidge marshall George Thomas assessor J McClellan council M M Savidge

Democrats—Mayor J A Boxwell clerk C C Ritzler treasurer J M Lannis council A S Semerlott

LaRue

Republican Mayor C N Myers councilmen W O Fish John Thombs Francis Seymore and A J Wise clerk William I Clark treasurer John W Slagle marshal George Kosbrook board of education A H Davis and D A Lingo

Democrats Mayor John Ault treasurer W F Kniffin clerk Finley Van Arsdal marshal David Lamb assessor Willis Clark councilmen Ray N Clark Olive Shirk F M Carey Charles H Allen C M Lannshill and W F Smiley

Montgomery

Republicans Treasurer John W Slagle clerk John B Field justice of the peace R D Henkle assessor W E Thew school board Will Croft B Ridgway O S Clements John Scranton and W J LaRue

Democrats—Trustees Harry Metz J A Virden and W H Mahler treasurer W F Kniffin clerk C C Metz justice of the peace J C Emmons school board Harry Metz and J A Virden assessor Willis Clark

New Bloomington

Republicans—Mayor John J Nesbaum treasurer Edward J Schultz clerk Lester J Mason marshal Harry E Snyder councilmen Charles Williams Richard O Richards Elihu Culbertson W F Dutton Charles O Barnthouse and John A Rusler board of education John A Rusler and Elmer F Drake

Democrats Mayor Clarence W Dutton marshal J F Strawser councilmen Harry Snyder John Showers Chauncey Godfrey John Carter and Orren Carey school board David J Dutton and J W Baker

Pleasant

Republicans Trustees H F Myers John Cooding and A F Tobin justice of the peace William Mitchell clerk Frank Klinefelter constable M Behner treasurer Charles Straw assessor Grant Key school board Henry Johnston

Democrats—Trustees W H Lust Benjamin Schwaderer John Kimber clerk J W Schweinfurth treasurer J J Bertinger constable Jacob Seiter assessor W J Seiter ditch supervisor John Hill board of education C F Mautz and B B Boxwell

Prospect Village

Republicans—Mayor C R Seland ers clerk Oscar Cast marshal Henry J Tauer councilmen Harvey W Wolfley Clarence P Herr C F Gast J B Miller J M Stockwell and Clinton J Cummings school board S H Cast assessor S A Woodward

Democrats — Mayor Joseph L Huff treasurer C F Swaney clerk C F Van Vorhees marshal Luther W Smith school board R W Herbster councilmen F H Wotting S M Kaub B F Fox W J Hess Benton Fisk and A M Tickey assessor W J Cox

Prospect

Republicans—Trustees William J Griffiths John J Ransome and C W Stiffer treasurer Albert Johnston Earl A N Fleming constable J F Penry board of education J A Mayfield justice J W Hughes

Democrats Trustees Charles J Thomas S C Treese and Simon Blue treasurer A F Wotting clerk John R Merchant constable M M Moore and James Roush assessor Samuel Kick

Richland

Democrats — Trustees J C Gompf C D Mayer William M Kauffelt treasurer Frederick Stose clerk J J Lover constables Wesley Lehner and William F Witzell board of education W J Kuehner and Frank P Bettinger assessor J D Haruff ditch supervisor, Samuel Lehner

Republicans—No nominations

Morral Village

Republicans—Mayor W H DeRoche marshal Philip H Hartman treasurer John Washburn councilmen Samuel C Baker O Washburn J J Dennis O T Pearman W W Morral and C W Hawl

Democrats — Mayor John P Brady marshal George Bogart school board J H Barden C J Schultz and S B Creasap ditch supervisor C C Cline

Salt Rock

Republicans—Trustee Theodore Cook board of education John Buck and William Deal

Democrats—No nominations although a primary ticket was had

Only two votes were cast in the township both being Republican Not even the judges and clerks voted although they set around the polls all day One of the candidates came in turned around and went right out again without voting

Scott

Republicans — Justice of the Peace Charles J Shumaker trustees Norman Brooks and Henry Foos

Democrats—Trustees H C Rice E C Kennedy and B O Slagel clerk C A Rowe treasurer Jacob Linn justice J F Neal constable Robert Rice assessor William Hill ditch supervisor F A Briggs

Tully

Republicans—Trustees John Neff J J Hofstetter C M Beach clerk A Williams treasurer J V Sulser justice of the peace John Lyons and C M Beach constable Time Shattuck and William Baker school board J J Hofstetter and Oliver Jones assessor O R Beach

Democrats— Trustees Jacob Crock R O Winn and Lawrence B Kerr clerk Isaac C Dickson treasurer Pearson Tennant justice C W Burkhart and Lewis Hummer constable A F Carver and Jacob H Kocher school board George J Heilman Eli J Winters assessor Lewis Hummer

Waldo

Republicans—School board R B Hays and H O Donithen

Democrats — Trustees Edward Bender John Ceahiser W M Schaaf clerk S W Allmendinger treasurer J D Bower school board W J Augenstine and H W Rengert assessor O S Anthony

Waldo Village

Republicans Mayor R W Gablet marshal J M Selanders

Democrat—Marshal Walter W Klingle treasurer J D Bower clerk W D Kinner George Cook Scott Howison and W C S Mitchell each received one vote for mayor

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Muslin sash curtains are sometimes torn by fastening the rod to their hems This accident is easily prevented Put a thimble on one end of the rod and pass it through the hem With its end thus pointed you will find that it slides through easily

FRANK E. HAIN HEADS THE SOCIALIST TICKET

Will Leads Socialists in a Fight for Mayor.

HE ENTERS THE RACE WITHOUT OPPOSITION

Result of Primary Election of Tuesday So Far as the Socialists Are Concerned—Those Who Appear on the Ticket in Battle for Offices in the City

THE SOCIALIST TICKET

For Mayor—Frank E Hain

For President of Council—J. F Berry

For Auditor—J F Kerr.

For Treasurer—John Grathwal

For Councilmen-at-Large—D G Houtz Louis Ruth and H F Sigler

For Ward Councilmen—G C Thomas First W F Wetherauer Second W H Bender, Third J J Rowe Fourth

For Board of Education—H F Robinson Edward Tonguet and J F Mathias

Socialist Vote.

Frank E Hain candidate for mayor on the Socialist ticket, had no opposition as did none of the Socialist candidates He received eighty three votes polling votes in every precinct save First A and Fourth A In Second B Hain received twenty votes and in First E he received ten votes

J F Berry candidate for president of the council received sixty eight votes and J F Kerr candidate for auditor received sixty eight For treasurer John Grathwal got seventy three votes

The vote on councilman at large was D G Houtz eighty Louis Ruth seventy one H F Sigler sixty eight

For ward councilmen the vote was C C Thomas twenty six W F Wetherauer thirty five W H Bender twelve J J Rowe ten

For board of education only two candidates were named on the ticket —H F Robinson and Edward Tonguett J F Mathias was written in sixty one times and thus was nominated with Robinson who received seventy three votes and Edward Tonguett who received sixty five votes

A GOURD THAT IS AS TALL AS A MAN

It Looks Like a Bologna Sausage and Weighs Very Little

George H Baxter a Wellsburg merchant boasts of having the largest gourd ever known to have been raised in this part of the country When plucked from the vine two years ago it measured exactly five feet six inches long and about ten inches in circumference The gourd since being harvested has been undergoing considerable shrinkage until now it has lost two inches of its natural length and about half an inch in diameter It weighs only three quarters of a pound

Mr Baxter raised the monstrosity with a number of others the whole making a crop that would have the appearance of a load of fence posts when loaded on a wagon The largest one now in Mr Baxter's possession is about the shade or tint of a fresh bologna sausage and but for its immense size and feather weight could easily be mistaken for that kind of meat

It was raised on the Buchanan farm in Hancock county from seed given to Mr Baxter by Mrs J F Cree of Wellsburg who some years ago received some samples of tropical seeds through a friend who was traveling abroad Among these was the gourd seed which Mrs Cree planted reserving a few to give to her friends one of the latter being Mr Baxter —Wheeling Intelligencer

FAMINE SUFFERERS BEING RELIEVED

Desperate Measures Are Adopted in Yangtse Kiang Valley

Shanghai Sept 6 —The most desperate measures are being adopted today to relieve the 800 000 famine sufferers in the Yangtse Kiang valley where 100 000 are said to have lost their lives in the recent floods All crops in the district have been swept away Famine prices prevail and the people have nothing with which to buy

The local board of trade has borrowed $500 000 to be used in relieving distress Missionaries at many points are sending out supplies of rice

Desperate from hunger the refugees who are swarming over land that have not been devastated are pillaging on all sides and troops have been called out to preserve order

Only by foreign aid it is said can a great famine be checked

On Paternity Charge

On a paternity charge filed in the court of Justice Charles H Conley by Miss Clara Scherzer aged seventeen years Less Edgington of this city was arrested at Lima Tuesday evening by Constable W J Ullom and brought here Wednesday Edgington was placed in the county jail awaiting a hearing He has been employed in Lima for some little time but makes his home in this city

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A number of pretty skirts have the slash at the side or side front which gives opportunity for display of fetching footgear

DIEGLE REVEALS SHAME OF STATE

After Mental Torture Diegle Breaks His Silence.

THE PROSECUTION GIVEN NEW CLUES

Amazing Story of Crookedness Is Laid Bare.

Diegle Declares He Has Told All He Can, but State Is Not Yet Satisfied—Says He Is Deserted, but If He Is Compelled to Go to Prison That Others Will Follow—His Story.

Cleveland, Sept. 4.—Rodney J. Diegle has broken his silence. The convicted sergeant-at-arms of the Ohio senate has told his story, sickening in many of its details, of a trail of bribery and graft which leads to the doors of many members of the Ohio general assembly. It is a story extending from the offices and places of business of the successful lawyer, manufacturer and merchant, to the low dives and brothels of Columbus.

The story that Diegle did tell, however, is shocking. There is available for the use of the prosecutors the inside and intimate details of how certain lobbyists and a coterie of members of both branches of the assembly determined the course to be followed on important legislative matters during wild debauches, the most of which ended in houses of ill-repute in Columbus or road houses of such a character that to be seen there meant a tarnished reputation.

Part of the sordid tale as revealed by Diegle was told at Sandusky and the rest in Detroit, Mt. Clemens, Michigan, and Cleveland. For nearly two days of the time Diegle was a voluntary prisoner in a room on the top floor of the Hollenden. His story was told in the presence of a newspaper acquaintance, and of a representative of the state.

Not Satisfied.

The result of the recital was laid before the state prosecutors Saturday in Columbus. The prosecutors, refused to deal with Diegle or to see him unless he agreed to go into more detail concerning attempted corruption in five or six of the biggest bills before the assembly. The ultimatum was presented to Diegle *in Cleveland Saturday night.*

"It was as I feared," he said. "I can tell no more than I have told. There are some things worse than going to the penitentiary."

Diegle has furnished numerous leads which, with the mass of information already in the hands of the prosecution, seem certain to result in a more extensive uncovering of legislative corruption. The statement of Diegle covers his version of what took place in and out of the assembly on the nine hour bill, the public utilities bill, the telephone bill, the liquor bills, the corrupt practices act, the loan agency bill, the central board bill and the mining screen bill, in addition to other measures in connection with which there has been grave suspicion of corruption.

Names One Lobbyist.

The story of the optometry bill is one particularly striking in its revelations of the methods resorted to around the general assembly. Verification of the Diegle statement on this bill has been secured from numerous sources. The prosecution has much of the material in its possession and has had for some time. The Diegle statement on this particular bill is that certain lobbyists for the measure approached him with a proposition to do what he could. He names one of the lobbyists. Then he tells of an automobile ride in which it was set forth that there was no large amount of money to spend and that, in consequence, the money in hand "had to be spread around among the boys in the shape of wine suppers and joy rides."

The state's prosecutors do not believe the end came with these "midnight" and, on some occasions, "all night" debauches. Diegle insists he can not furnish the positive connecting link which fasten the direct use of money on any one man in connection with this bill. He says he has gone as far as he can in respect to this measure. In his statement Diegle tells of wine parties featured by certain drunken members of the assembly, of fallen women, and the finale at a roadhouse outside the capital. It was under these circumstances that a part of the legislation affecting the 5,000,000 people of Ohio was considered. The corrupt circle in the assembly, the Diegle story declares, could not determine the best interests of their constituents on the optometry bill without first associating with shady women and consuming all the wine that the individual lobbyists would pay for.

Tells All, He Says.

On the central board bill Diegle has made available for the use of the prosecutors corroboratory evidence of manipulations which Attorney General Hogan already has stated are to be called to the attention of the grand jury as soon as it convenes. The part of the story deals with the efforts first to kill the bill in its en[illegible] and then, failing in that, to amend it. The sergeant-at-arms insists that he has told all he knows; that he is holding nothing back, and wants the people of the state to know the story.

It was in connection with this bill that one of the most disgraceful incidents that marked the last assembly occurred.

A senator, who is named in the statement, had been approached by a lobbyist, also named, the night before the vote on the bill was taken. The lobbyist in question was attempting to influence the senator to support certain amendments to the bill. They were together at times during the evening, but the senator refused to be influenced. The next morning he was found in his apartments lying in a stupor. Heroic efforts were made to arouse him. Failing in this, just before the time for the vote on the bill, the senator was conveyed to the capital in a closed carriage by friends of the measure who wanted it passed in its entirety. He was taken into the smoking room of the senate where he was stretched out practically insensible. The room had been cleared prior to the bringing in of the senator. Men who could be trusted had been secured.

Simply a Travesty.

At the moment the name of the senator was called to vote the doors of the smoking room were thrown open and the senator was carried to the door. The voting response came in answer to a signal from the floor of the senate. The vote of the senator was actually cast by one of the men who were holding him up. With this travesty on legislation over, the senator was carried away. Diegle *in his statement* says he is convinced the senator was doped deliberately in order to make his appearance at the chamber impossible. The senator voted right on the bill and the efforts of members of the opposition lobby came to naught, though the method of defeating it brought round criticism from many of the senators. Diegle does not stand alone in this description of one manner in which some of the legislation of Ohio was enacted during the past winter. The scene in its entirety is described in the statements of a number of senators who saw and were shocked at what was going on.

A story in detail of other incidents is told frankly by the sergeant-at-arms. *The development of these incidents* all will lay before the people of Ohio a story of immorality and shamelessness on the part of a group in the legislature along with some of the professional lobbyists that has not been equaled, or at least made public, in connection with any other state in the country.

Sees the Inside.

Certain representatives of the *Ohio Manufacturers'* association and their methods figure extensively in the long statement of the sergeant-at-arms. Until their activity is probed to the bottom, Diegle says, the real story of what happened in Columbus during the past winter will not be reached. Diegle saw something of the operations from the inside. At the very opening of the session Diegle was employed by persons claiming to represent the association to assist in the legislative campaign. Diegle was wanted, he states, for the information he could secure as the result of his close relations with the members of the assembly.

The fact that Diegle was on the pay roll of other interests than the state was kept a secret. He was paid $15 a week for this service.

Diegle continued to receive weekly payments of $15 until the close of the session, despite his connection with the bribery exposure by Burns detectives on the Whittemore insurance bill. Diegle, in his statement, asks the public to suspend judgment in his case until the whole of the story of corruption has been revealed.

In his statement Diegle deals with the period in the history of the session both before and after the employment of the Burns detectives. It deals with the efforts known to have been made to kill the investigation after it was under full headway. The prosecutors for the state were implored to withdraw. They refused.

Urges a Probe.

Further in his statement Diegle urges the individual members of the Manufacturers' association to take up an investigation of their own organization and demand an exact accounting of what was done.

Returning to the detailed story of what he knows about the record of the assembly he sets forth that to the best of his knowledge certain members of the assembly, both senate and house, were regularly on the pay roll of lobbyists representing big business interests. He names both lobbyists and members. He insists, however, that he is not in a position to cinch this for the state in its efforts to get at the bottom of the bribery scandal. On this as on some other matters the word was sent back to Diegle here last night that he must tell more or there can be no hope of immunity.

Diegle says there was no money used on the first big liquor bill of the session. With reference to the second liquor bill the statement carries his version of the attempted *bribery of five members of the house* by a liquor lobby. His statement contains the names of the members and the lobbyists. Much, if not all, of this information has been in the hands of the prosecution for some time.

Now Deserted.

Rodney J. Diegle believes he has been deserted now, in the hour of his great trouble, by men who but a few months ago were *slapping him on* the back, buying drinks and calling him a good fellow. On this he says:

"Men who ought to suffer in this business are running to cover like rats. While I propose to fight my conviction to the end, if the doors of the penitentiary do close behind me I believe there are others who will go, too."

MRS. ADELINE KERR PASSES ANNIVERSARY

Entertains a Company of Friends and Relatives.

Martel, O., Sept. 7.—[Special.]—Mrs. Adeline Kerr celebrated her seventy-fourth birthday, Tuesday, by entertaining her relatives and friends. At noon, the hostess served dinner, and despite the inclemency of the weather, all enjoyed a good time. Those presented were: Mrs. Crissinger and family, Mrs. Noblet, of New Winchester, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wise and daughter, Bernice, and Mrs. Jennie Gamble and daughter composed the company.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Weidemaier and son, Glenwood, of Marion, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Sharrock and family, Sunday.

The Misses Mary Pace and Edith Sharrock were Galion visitors, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cyphers were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sharrock, of Galion, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Crissinger and children, Donald and Elizabeth, were the guests of Mrs. Ellen Crissinger, of Marion, Sunday.

Miss Lenna Neff entertained the Royal Guard Sunday-school class at her home north of town, Friday evening. Those present were the Misses Belle Haney, Ilo Bending, Edith Sharrock, Laura Neff, and Messrs. Frank Roush, Wilfred Wilkins, Ivan Downs, Van Watts, Arthur Waterhouse, Elmer Hoffstetter, Kinsel Neff, Paul Neff and Mrs. H. M. Hart, of Caledonia.

Little Miss Virginia Sharrock, of Galion, was the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Sharrock, last week.

Miss Edith Long, of Cardington, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wiliam Rutherford and family last week.

Mrs. Catherine Garver and Mrs. Nora Spurlock were Galion visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Winch and Mrs. Nora Spurlock attended the state fair in Columbus last week.

Mrs. Henry Troph, of Marion, has moved her household effects into Mrs. Catherine Winemiller's house, where she expects to make her future home.

NEW EXCUSE OFFERED BY OWNER OF A DOG

Takes the Dog on Approval and Will Not Pay Tax.

All sorts of excuses are made by dog owners to keep from paying the tax when once the *assessor* reports the canines for taxation, but County Auditor Charles L. Allen is ready to award first prize for the champion excuse-maker to a man who appeared in his office, Wednesday afternoon. A reporter happened to be standing by when the man entered or the details might have never become public.

"I don't want to pay taxes on this dog," the man declared "I don't have to pay the tax assessed against me."

"Don't you own the dog or did you own it at the time the assessor put it down against you?"

"No, I never owned it; I just took the dog on approval and never bought it," asserted the angry man.

The only thing the auditor could do was to eliminate the tax from the duplicate upon the dog-approval owner swearing that he never owned the canine.

"We've had every kind of excuse on record for taking dog tax off the duplicate, but we never heard of an excuse like that before," said an employe of the auditor's office. "Yet his excuse may have been true. I do not wish to imply that it was not true, but the idea of a man swearing his dog off the tax duplicate and saying he only bought it on approval. That's unique in this office."

THE GOVERNOR PLACES SCOTT STAHL ON BENCH

Judge Stahl Will Succeed Judge Charles S. Reed.

In regard to a former Marion man, the Ohio State Journal of Thursday says:

Because a Republican judge preferred practicing law to sitting on the bench, Governor Harmon was enabled yesterday to add a Democratic judge to the considerable list of Democrats he has appointed to judgeships. He appointed Scott Stahl, Port Clinton, common pleas judge in the Lucas-Erie-Sandusky-Ottawa-Huron subdivision of the Fourth judicial district, to succeed Judge Charles S. Reed, who resigned to practice law in Cleveland.

Judge Stahl is serving a second term as prosecuting attorney of Ottawa county.

KENTON MAN ON BOTH THE TICKETS

Candidate Gets as Many Votes from Republicans as Democrats.

Kenton, O., Sept. 7.—A *puzzling* situation has arisen in this city over the Republican nomination for city solicitor as a result of the primaries held Tuesday, when Attorney Charles Price, Democrat, the present city solicitor, who had no opposition in his own party, received as many votes for nomination on the Republican ticket as any Republican for whom ballots were cast for this office.

There were no Republican candidates, but the name of Attorney H. D. Lease was written on the Republican ballots.

ALL BIDS REJECTED BY THE COMMISSIONERS

Tar Asphalt Will Be Used on the Guthery-Black Pike.

CRUSHED STONE BIDS ARE ALL IRREGULAR

The County Commissioners Find the Tar Asphalt Highly Satisfactory for Pike Road Work—A Large Amount of It Is Used in County During the Past Twelve Months.

On the ground of irregularity, County Commissioners W. H. Holverstott, A. H. Trout and Henry Seiter, this morning, rejected all bids for crushed stone on the Guthery-Black pike in Bowling Green township, and awarded the contract for "Carbo-Via," or tar asphalt, to the Continental Bitumen company, of Toledo.

The low bid, that of Scott & Aller, was declared invalid because of its regularity, and it was decided to throw the rest out. A bid lower than Scott & Aller came in a moment too late, according to Miss V. Perle Garfield, the commissioners' clerk.

During the past year, the commissioners, as turnpike directors, have used $16,000 worth of "Carbo-Via" on country roads, and they say it makes a fine road. The product is bought from the continental Bitumen company for ten cents a gallon. Over 100,000 gallons have been used on the roads of Marion county during the past year. All of it has been purchased from the Toledo company.

It is the aim of the commissioners to make every road that is much traveled as good as possible, and they declare they can not get anywhere better than a tar preparation for the money. The "Carbo-Via" preparation makes the road similar to the mile stretch that begins at the end of east Center street.

The commissioners are very enthusiastic over the new tar product from the results they have obtained.

THE ZIMMERMANS ARE NOT KNOWN IN MARION

Message as to Remarriage in Windy City.

A wire to the Star from Chicago, today, announces the remarriage of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Zimmerman in *that city, but a careful canvas of the* city and county has failed to identify the couple as former residents here.

No record of a license or marriage of the couple appears in the probate court.

The special is as follows:

Harvey Zimmerman, seventy years old, and his divorced wife, Mrs. Jane H. Zimmerman, sixty-five years old, got a license to remarry, yesterday, after having been parted ten years. They were married in Marion, Ohio, and have two grown children. A married daughter resides in Dayton, Ohio. The wife secured the divorce for incompatibility.

THE ELOPEMENT OF A MARION COUPLE

Edward McFadden and Mrs. Florence Bird Married.

Edward McFadden, thirty-seven years old, whose wife died on the altar of maternity last March, eloped with Mrs. Florence Bird, a divorcee, to Covington, Kentucky, where they were married Thursday afternoon.

The bride is middle-aged, and has been conducting a ladies' tailoring and cleaning establishment in the Cull block on east Center street for some time. The groom came to Marion from Richwood and is now employed by the Marion Steam Shovel company.

Mr. and Mrs. McFadden will make their future home in Marion.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE JOINED IN MARRIAGE

Miss Marie Trefz and Mr. Harry C. Ernsberger.

Miss Marie Trefz and Mr. Harry C. Ernsberger were united in marriage at the German M. E. parsonage, on south Prospect street, Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. C. E. Buerkle performed the *ceremony.* The young people were unattended.

CITY IN BRIEF.

Quits His Position—DeWitt Hicks, *who has been employed as a pharma*cist at Henney & Cooper's drug store for the past year, has resigned his position and left, Saturday, for Fostoria, where he has accepted a like position. The vacancy has been filled by Roy Reser, of Findlay, who took up his new work, Monday.

War Veterans—About twenty-five Spanish War Veterans gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Andrews, *of Fairground street, Monday* afternoon and evening. At 1 o'clock, a big picnic dinner was served, and during the remainder of the afternoon and early evening, various out-door diversions were enjoyed. A ball game was a feature of the afternoon.

Child Is Injured—While he was riding his tricycle near his home, Saturday evening, Kenneth, the little son of J. W. Smith, *of Blaine avenue,* had the bone of his left foot fractured above the ankle in a fall. A playmate jumped upon the tricycle the lad was riding, overturning it, both lads falling to the ground. The Smith lad will be confined to his home several weeks as a result of the injury.

WARNS VETERANS OF A CONSPIRACY

John C. McElroy Addresses Soldiers at Steubenville.

Steubenville, O., Sept. 7.—John C. McElroy, editor of The National Tribune of Washington, at the home-coming veterans' reunion of Jefferson county, charged that mercenary interests have launched an organized conspiracy to prevent the payment of pension money. He said it was as treasonable as Jeff Davis' acts and discouraged young men from following the flag.

Takes Shot at Editors.

Canton, O., Sept. 7.—While editors and reporters of The News-Democrat were working in the local room of the office a rifle shot was fired into the room from a building 50 feet away. Several of the men narrowly escaped being struck and George Hattie, a press operator, was cut by flying glass. No motive for the crime is assigned.

Back With Old Folks.

Newport, R. I., Sept. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. "Jack" Geraghty, who recently eloped from this city and were married at Central Village, returned to Newport.

THE DEMOCRATS HAVE NOTHING ELSE TO DO

Run Primary Because Republicans Fail To Appear.

Lima, O., Sept. 7.—Because the Democratic presiding judge in the German township primary swore in two lifelong Democrats to act as Republican election officials, the Allen county election board is in a quandry and will ask Secretary of State Graves to settle a fine point of election law for them. The presiding judge says that there are but three Republicans in his township and that the two appointed to represent their party's interests at the polls failed to appear either to vote or to act officially.

PRESIDENT TAFT TALKS OF PEACE

Is the Guest of the Connecticut State Fair Today.

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 7.—President Taft will talk to the Connecticut folk at their state fair at Hartford today about peace. His time in the Nutmeg state is to be divided between a luncheon with Governor Baldwin, Mayor Edward L. Smith and 85 prominent citizens and his address at the state fair grounds. Besides this there will be a parade with the president as the central figure, and a heap of national and state military trimmings and the governor's own band.

REAL ESTATE.

George S. Bain to Frank Messbarger, two lots in Marion, $200.

Jennie R. Heller to Elizabeth L. Uncapher, part of lot in Marion, one dollar.

Adam G. Lauer to Henry M. Lauer, about seventy-two acres in Bowling Green township, $5,680.

Maria Travis to J. J. Kern, part of lot in Marion, $2,000.

Trustees of Knights of Columbus lodge to George Lippincott, lot in Marion, $100.

Edward K. Uhler and others to John W. Thew and others, lot in Marion, $8.00.

Edward K. Uhler to J. W. Thew and others, lot in Marion, $600.

Viola B. Wright to Minnie S Corey, part of lot in Marion, $1,500.

A. Clouse to Jessie Clouse, part of two lots in Caledonia, $500.

Melvine A. Crane to Porta O. Kern, lot in Marion, one dollar.

Pike Is Granted.

The county commissioners, this morning, granted the Klingel pike petition. The proposed pike is located in Richland township. Twenty landowners reside along its boundaries, seventeen of whom signed the petition. This is the pike, the petition for which was defeated several months ago as a result of the "wet" and "dry" issue among the resident landowners. It was heard before the commissioners, and at that time it was turned down because it lacked *one signer of having a majority.*

Killed In Love Quarrel.

New York, Sept. 7.—Charles Rubrisch, *proprietor of the Hotel St.* Charles, was shot and instantly killed during a quarrel over a young woman. His assailant and the woman escaped.

French women keep their lawn dresses fresh all summer by following these directions: When the dress soils or musses, put on ironing board and wipe off with a thin solution of gum arabic and water (five cents' worth of gum arabic will last several *times.) Place a piece of muslin over* the dress and iron. You will find the lawn will look as fresh as when bought. You can also stiffen lace and battenberg with the same solution.

My little girls wear bloomer suits, and I find the elastic corset laces better to use in the knees of the bloomers than the regular elastic.

I shaved a piece of a camphor ball into the silver case and found that it is a splendid way to prevent the tarnishing of such ware.

Syrup, or other liquids, will not drip from a pitcher, if a little butter or grease is rubbed on the edge and underside of the lip.

If one wishes to give a little stiffness to black lawn when laundering it, immerse in a starch made of bran.

Tailored dresses of serge and other light-weight woolens will be conspicuous among autumn fashions.

AN HONEST MAN AND GOOD ADVERTISEMENT

Star's Reference to Purse Found Brings Result Desired.

Mrs. Valentine Andes, of Wallace street, is the owner of the pocketbook which was found at the state fair ground, last Wednesday, and which was mentioned in the Star Friday. The purse contained a ten-dollar gold piece, some small change and C., D. & M. transportation to Marion, from Columbus.

Last Friday the editor of the Star received a letter from B. R. Harrison, of Cook, stating that he had found a woman's pocketbook at the state fair ground, Wednesday, containing some money and a return ticket to Marion, and asking the Star to try and locate the owner. The letter was published in Friday's edition.

Saturday evening, Mrs. Andes, who had read the article, called at the business office and gave a description of her property. The description was forwarded to Mr. Harrison, who returned the purse by registered mail and the purse and its contents were turned over to the owner.

THE SUTTON HOME IS SCENE OF MARRIAGE

Miss Alice E. Manley and Mr. W. E. Tooley Wed.

Miss Alice Ethel Manley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Manley, of near Agosta, was united in marriage to Mr. Walter E. Tooley, of La Rue, Wednesday night at 10 o'clock, by Rev. J. A. Sutton at his home in La Rue.

The groom is employed at the Sutton-Kniffin livery barn at La Rue.

Don't shorten your nights in attempting to lengthen your days.

THE MARKETS.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Union Stock Yards, Sept. 7.—Hogs—Receipts, 12,000, market, steady to higher; mixed and butchers, 6.75@7.40; good heavy, 6.60@6.80; rough heavy, 6.80@7.30; light, 6.85@7.40; pigs, 4.75@7.20.

Cattle—Receipts, 5,000; market, steady to strong; beeves, 5.00@8.10; cows and heifers, 2.25@6.30, stockers and feeders, 3.00@5.50; Texans, 4.40@6.40; calves, 6.25@9.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 27,000, market, strong; native, 2.00@3.85; western, 2.40@4.00; lambs, native, 4.00@6.10; western, 4.25@6.10.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 7.—Cattle—market, steady; prime steers, 7.00@7.25; butcher grades, 3.50@7.00.

Calves—Receipts, 150 head; market, 25c higher; cull to choice, 5.00@10.25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,400; market, active; choice lambs, 6.90@7.00; cull to fair, 5.00@6.75; yearlings, 4.50@5.00; sheep, 2.00@4.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,570; market, slow, lower; yorkers, 7.70@7.75, pigs, 7.00@7.25; mixed, 7.50@7.60; heavy, 7.25@7.40; roughs 6.40@6.50; stags, 5.50@6.00.

CLEVELAND.

Cleveland, Sept. 7.—Hogs—1,800, 10@15c lower; heavies, 7.30@7.35; yorkers and mixed, 7.50@7.55; pigs, 6.75.

Cattle—5 cars; slow; steady.

Sheep and lambs—10 cars; 6.50 top.

Calves—200, 9.25 top.

PITTSBURGH.

Pittsburgh, Sept. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, light; market steady, choice, 7.40@7.65; prime, 6.90@7.25, common, 5.60@6.10, veal calves, 9.00@9.25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts fair; market, slow; prime wethers, 3.85@4.00; good mixed, 3.25@3.75; fair mixed, 2.00@3.00; lambs, 4.50@5.00; spring lambs, 7.00@7.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 15 cars, market, slow lower; prime heavy hogs, 7.25@7.30; mediums, 7.65@7.70, heavy yorkers, 7.70@7.75; light yorkers, 7.50@7.75; pigs, 6.00@6.90; roughs, 6.00@6.75; stags, 5.25@5.75.

TOLEDO.

Toledo, O., Sept. 7.—Wheat—Cash and September, 95¼, December, 98⅛; May, 1.03½.

Corn—Cash and September, 68½; December, 64¼; *May 67.*

Oats—Cash and September, 45¼; December, 48¼; May 50¼.

Rye—Cash, 59; September, 90.

Cloverseed—Cash and October, 11.85; *December, 11.75, March, 11.77½, No. 2,* 11.45; No. 3, 11.30, rejected, 10.85.

Alsike—Prime, 10.50; December, 10.60, March, 10.70.

Timothy—Prime, 7.05; September, 7.00, *December and March 7.05.*

Butter, eggs and hay unchanged.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Sept. 7.—Opening. Wheat: September and December up ⅛. Corn, September and December unchanged. Oats: September unchanged; December up ¼. Provisions higher.

Noon—Wheat: September up ⅛; December down ⅛. Corn: September down ½; December down ⅝. Oats: September down ⅜; December down ⅝.

Close—Wheat: September up ¼; December unchanged. Corn: September down ⅛; December down ⅜. Oats: September and December down ¼. Provisions about steady.

The following quotations show the *opening, high, low and closing markets* in the order named of the various products.

Wheat—September, 92¼, 93, 92⅛, 92½, December, 97, 97⅜, 96½, 97.

Corn—September, 68¼, 68¼, 65¾, 66¼; December, 64¼, 64¼, 63⅞, 63⅞.

Oats—September, 43½, 43½, 42½, 43, December, 46⅜, 46⅜, 45⅞, 46¼.

Pork—September, 15.75, nominal 15.75, *January,* 16.32, 16.32, 16.27, 16.30.

Lard—September, 9.55, 9.55, 9.52, 9.55, January, 9.42, 9.45, 9.35, 9.42.

Ribs—September, 9.00, 9.10, 9.00, 9.05; January, 8.45, 8.47, 8.40, 8.47.

CHICAGO DAIRY.

Chicago, Sept. 7.—Butter—Extras, 26; firsts, 22, dairy extras, 22; firsts, 20.

Eggs—Prime firsts, 18½, firsts, 17.

Cheese—Twins, 12¼@12¾; Young Americas, 13¼@13½.

Live poultry—Fowls, 12@12½; ducks, 13@13½, geese, 8@9; spring chickens, 12½@13.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Sept. 7.—Flour—Quiet firm.

Pork—Easier, mess, 18.75@19.25.

Lard—Firm, middle west spot, 9.60@9.70.

Tallow—Quiet, city, 7; country, 6¼@7.

Hay—Firm, No. 3, 90@1.00; clover, 85@1.10.

Dressed poultry—Firm, turkeys 17@20; chickens, 16@23; fowls, 14@17, ducks, 16½@17.

Live poultry—Weak, geese, 11, ducks, 13; fowls, 14½@15; turkeys, 13, roosters, 10.

Butter—Firm, receipts, 7,368, creamery extra, 26@26¼; state dairy tubs, 19@25½; imitation creamery firsts, nominal.

Eggs—Strong, receipts, 13,959; nearby white fancy, 29@31; *nearby mixed fancy,* 20@25, fresh firsts, 19@26.

CANADIANS WILL REJECT TREATY

Refuse To Accept Changes in Fisheries Pace.

YEARS OF LABOR ARE WASTED AS RESULT

International Dispute, Thought Dead, Opened Again.

Trouble Believed Settled in 1908 Bobs Up Again as Result of United States Senate's Refusal To Ratify Original Document—Big Fishing Interests Held Responsible for the Objections.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 7.—The changes proposed by the United States in the international fisheries treaty concluded between Canada and the United States in 1908 are not acceptable to the Dominion government, and the work of years of negotiations is to be rendered ineffective. The official announcement of the Canadian government's position in the matter will be made in a few days. The information on the subject comes from a high source and is authentic.

It will be remembered that under the terms of the treaty regulations governing the fisheries in international waters were drawn up by the commissioners, Professor Prince for Canada and Professor David Starr Jordan for the United States. These regulations were to become effective after concurrent proclamations by the governor general of Canada and the president of the United States.

Both Parties Unanimous.

The necessary legislation to enable the proclamation was passed by the parliament of Canada during the *session of 1910, receiving the unan*imous approval of both political parties. From the fact that the treaty so received the unanimous support *of the opposition side of the house of* commons, the inference is safe that the measure was one that would fairly well conserve the interests of the Canada fisheries.

The American authorities have failed, however, to pass the legislation required to put the treaty into effect. After the regulations had been drawn up it was found that certain interests, notably in the state of Michigan and on the Pacific coast of the United States, were opposed to their promulgation. These interests desired changes in the regulations to harmonize with their views.

BEULAH BINFORD TO GO ON STAGE

Her Appearance in New York Brings Forth Loud Protests.

New York, Sept. 7.—Prominent women in various walks of life in the Metropolis today raised a loud protest against the appearance of Beulah Binford, the seventeen-year-old sweetheart of Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., in vaudeville in this city. Her appearance, declared actresses, professional women and those prominent in club life, would be an affront to womanhood that should not be permitted. The attitude of all these was: "After the Binford girl—what next?"

Among those who denounced the proposed exhibition were:

Belle de Rivera, club woman; Bijou Fernandes, theatrical manager; Mrs. Sol Smith, oldest active actress; Mrs. Sophia Loebinger, militant suffragette, and Mrs. William Grant Brown, of the federation of women's clubs.

TOADSTOOLS CLAIM THEIR TENTH VICTIM

New York City Is Flooded with So-Called Mushrooms.

New York, Sept. 6.—Toadstools sold from a push cart as mushrooms, today claimed their tenth victim this week when Mrs. Marietta Casico, of No. 294 Pleasant avenue, died from the poison. Her husband is dying and it was only the greed of the parents, who ate all Mrs. Casico prepared, that saved the lives of their two children.

With several other persons dangerously ill, it was feared the death list would grow even longer before night. One suicide has also been caused by the toadstool epidemic for when Miguel Loprote learned of the death of his wife and son he shot himself and fell dead across their bodies. The recent rains flooded the New York markets with toadstools which had been mistaken for mushrooms and today the authorities took steps to curb the sale.

BIRTHS.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Peacock, of *east George street, are the parents* of a son born Monday night.

A son was born Tuesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Neville, residing three miles southeast of the city.

Born, Tuesday, a daughter to *Mr. and Mrs. William O. Nippert,* of Pearl street.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gallcher, of Wilson avenue, Saturday.

Many a widow gets busy and marries a man because he doesn't want her to.

Boys' and Children's Newest Style

Fall Clothing

Very Special $3.98 Qualities.....

All-Wool Blue Serge Knickerbocker Suits like sketch shown or with plain double-breasted coats—also Cashmeres and Worsteds.

Brown, Red and Blue Russians

For small children—fine Serges, Cashmeres and Diagonal Scotch e,

Sailor Blouse Suits $3.98

Full cut with dickey and sailor collar, pretty effects in tan and brown diagonals.

KLEINMAIERS.

WILLIAM M'INCROW TAKEN TO WORKHOUSE

Begins a Term of Two Years and Possibly Longer.

HIS FINE AND COSTS AMOUNT TO ABOUT $547

A Service of 182 Days Above Two Years Will Be Required If Man Is Not Given Benefit of Good Time—A Stranger Causes Search of Hotel Nordica—Police Notes.

William McIncrow, who was fined $500 and costs by the mayor Wednesday, on a charge of bootlegging, was taken to the Dayton workhouse by Officer Thompson, Thursday. The fine and costs in McCrow's case will amount to about $547. With a credit of sixty cents a day, with good time taken off, it will take McIncrow just two years to work out the fine and costs. Providing he is not granted good time, about 182 days additional will be required.

Wednesday evening, a stranger at police headquarters called on Chief Klinefelter with a half pint of whisky which he claimed to have purchased at the Hotel Nordica, conducted by Herman Kalkbrenner in the West End. As a result of his story, Chief Klinefelter was induced to file an affidavit for a warrant to search the place for intoxicating liquors. The warrant was turned over to Acting Captain Cusick, when he reported for duty, Wednesday evening, and that officer was accompanied by Chief Klinefelter and Offier Thompson to make the search. The place was thoroughly searched by the officers, but nothing was found in the way of intoxicating liquors. Some small whisky glasses, were found at the bar, but they were not disturbed.

REUNION OF FORMER SCHOOLMATES HELD

A Gathering at the Stratton Home at Norton.

A reunion of former boys and girls of the Westfield school was held at the home of Mr and Mrs Marion Stratton, of Norton, last Thursday. Toledo, Delaware, Prospect, Ashley, Waldo and Norton were well represented.

The following officers were elected for the coming year Miss Alice Bishop, president: Mrs Addie Martin, secretary, and Mrs. Dora Jones, treasurer.

The next reunion will be held at the James Luellen home.

There seems to be no end of black velvet sashes.

TWO CONGREGATIONS ARE TO BE UNITED SOON

Trinity Baptist Church Takes Action in Matter

ALL BUT THREE VOTE TO JOIN THE CHURCHES

The Union Will Probably Be Made About September 17—Rev. J. P. Currin, Pastor of the First Church, Will Remain with Congregation as Pastor Until November 1.

Wednesday night, at a meeting of the congregation of the Trinity Baptist church, it was almost unanimously voted to unite with the First Baptist church congregation.

Thirty-three members of the church were present at the regular weekly prayer-meeting service, and all save three voted for union.

The proposed union of the two churches is to take place September 17, but this date may be changed. The plan, however, is to unite at that time.

Rev. J. P. Currin, pastor of the First Baptist church, will serve as pastor of the Trinity Baptist church until November 1, when another pastor will be chosen.

MARRIAGE SERVICE AT HOME OF GROOM

Miss Moneysmith and Mr. F. L. Bechtle Married.

Miss Mabel Moneysmith, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Moneysmith, near Richwood, and Mr. Frederick L. Bechtle were married at the home of Mr. Bechtle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Bechtle, of Windsor street. Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. E. Buerkle, of the German M E. church, in the presence of only the immediate relatives.

After the ceremony, a wedding dinner was served. The home was prettily decorated with cosmas and wedding bells.

During the evening, the couple left on a wedding trip to Arkansas and Kansas to visit relatives. On their return they will reside on Davids street.

Both are highly esteemed young people, and have a wide circle of friends. The groom is employed at the Marion Steam Shovel shops.

Poor old Adam! There were no tonsorial artists or safety razors in his day.

White serge has jumped into favor with a bound.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS MAKES DISCOVERIES

L. H. DeLauder Is Nominated by Democrats.

HARRY BELL WINS FOR SCHOOL BOARD PLACE

G. F. Larie Defeats Peter Sells by Three Votes—Mistakes Are Found in Two Precincts, but Do Not Change the Result—Facts and Figures on Primary Election.

The board of elections in canvassing the vote, Thursday, discovered that L. H. DeLauder, Democrat, was nominated for councilman-at-large, along with T. J. Lucas and Levi Roseberry. Lucas' and Roseberry's name appeared on the primary ticket and DeLauder's friends write his name in frequently enough to nominate him. He had twenty-three votes, the official count showed.

For board of education, the final unofficial count showed that Mrs. A. M Hutchinson, Harry Bell and Charles Lukens had five votes each. The official count, however, showed that Bell got six votes and is therefore nominated on the Democratic ticket, along with J. Wilbur Jacoby and M. A. Pickering.

The contested vote between G. F. Larie and Peter Sells, candidates for city treasurer, was decided by the board of elections, Thursday. In the absence of Candidate Sells, Judge Martin J. Burke invited newspaper men to be present. The unofficial returns gave Larie 377 and Sells 374. The official vote is the same.

Two Mistakes Found.

In Third A, a mistake of five votes was discovered in Sells' favor, but in Fourth A a mistake of five votes was found in Larie's favor, thus the official vote was unchanged.

Dr. C. P. Galley was nominated for township treasurer on the Democratic ticket by a vote of 740. He had no opposition. No candidate was named by the Republicans.

Every candidate who was voted for in Tuesday's primaries, or every person, committee or association of persons, incorporated or unincorporated, who may have contributed, promised, received or expended, directly or indirectly, any money or anything of value in connection with the primary election, must file within ten days with the board of elections an itemized statement showing in detail all the moneys or things of value promised or incurred.

Expense Accounts.

In compliance with the law, M. A. Mickley, defeated candidate for the nomination of city treasurer, filed his statement Thursday. The statement shows that he expended $11.10.

In view of the fact that the law requires that the statements must be filed on official blanks within ten days after the election, the board has ordered the necessary blanks, which will be here Saturday.

Judge Martin J. Burke, chief of the election board, announced Thursday, that the board's headquarters would be greatly improved before the general election. A vault will be placed in the larger of the two rooms for the safe-keeping of all the records. A press table will also be installed in the room, which will be occupied by the board of election officials. The small room now used by the election officials for the transaction of business will be for the use of the public.

THOMAS MOORE DIES AFTER A LONG ILLNESS

Death Comes to Former Resident of Marion.

Thomas Moore, fifty-five years old, a native of this city and well known here, died of pernicious anemia at his home at Mt Gilead, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o clock. His death was not unexpected, for he had been sick a year.

Mr. Moore had been in the grocery business at Mt. Gilead for eleven years, going there from this city. He was a son of the late John and Margaret Moore, of Marion, who were pioneers of this county.

Mr. Moore was a member of the firm of Moore brothers in this city for years and with his brothers, Charles and William, handled groceries, books and wallpaper. He also worked here a number of years as a printer.

The deceased was a member of Marion Lodge, No. 70, Free and Accepted Masons. He was also a member of the chapter at Mt. Gilead. He is survived by a widow, one son and one daughter, and two brothers, William and Charles Moore, and one sister, Mrs. C. K. Guthery, of this city.

The funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 3 o clock.

JOHN HOLVERSTOTT CLAIMED BY DEATH

Dies at Home in Kenton After Long Illness.

Friends and relatives here received word, Thursday, of the death of John Holverstott, who died at his home in Kenton, Wednesday night, of a complication of diseases. He was aged over eighty years. A widow and two daughters survive.

Mr Holverstott is related to the Holverstotts of this county and was quite well known here.

Remove glass stains with cream of tartar and water or alcohol, the latter never stains the most delicate color.

THE METHODISTS TO GATHER HERE SOON

Central Ohio Conference To Be Held in the City.

PROGRAM ARRANGED FOR CONFERENCE DAYS

Many Speakers of Prominence in the Church Will Appear on the Program—Much Business of Importance Will Be Given Attention During the Sessions.

The fifty-sixth annual session of the Central Ohio conference of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held at the Epworth M E. church in this city, September 19-25. The opening session will convene Tuesday, September 19, at 9 a. m. Bishop David H. Moore will preside over the sessions.

The districts included in the Central Ohio conference are: Bellefontaine, Defiance, Delaware, Findlay, Lima and Toledo. Delegates are expected from all the Methodist churches in these districts, and it is expected that the conference will be one of the largest yet held.

The following is the program for the week:

Tuesday, September 19.

9 a. m.—Meeting of the classes for examination in the courses of study.

7:30 p. m.—Lecture, Rev. Edgar Blake, D. D., of the board of Sunday-schools. Rev. A. R. Custer, chairman.

Wednesday, September 20.

8:30 a. m.—Conference session, Bishop David H. Moore presiding.

9:30 a. m.—Memorial service. Rev. M. C. Howey, preacher.

2 p. m.—Missionary sermon, Rev. C. W. Huffman. Rev. Daniel Stecker, chairman.

3.30 p. m.—Bible lecture, "The Epistles of St. Paul," Rev. Marcus D. Buell, D. D., of Boston university.

7.30 p. m.—Lecture, Rev. Dr. M. C. B. Mason, of the Freedman's Aid society. Rev. C. W. Sutton, chairman.

Thursday, September 21.

8.30 a. m.—Conference session.

2 p. m.—Lecture, subject, "Individual Soul Winning," Dr. Louis Albert Banks. Rev. E. S. Weaver, chairman.

3:30 p. m.—Bible lesson, Dean Buell.

7:30 p. m.—Address, Rev. C. L. Bare, of the board of foreign missions. Rev. A. E. Day, chairman.

Friday, September 22.

8:30 a. m.—Conference session. The sacrament of the Lord's supper, conducted by Bishop David H. Moore. The members of the lay electoral conference are invited to this service.

2 p. m.—Anniversary of the temperance cause. Rev. A. E. Delanoy, chairman. Addresses, Hon. Wayne B. Wheeler and Rev. Alfred Smith, D. D.

3:30 p. m.—Bible lesson, Dean Buell.

7:30 p. m.—Educational anniversary in the interest of the Ohio Northern university. Hon. S. A. Hoskins, chairman. Brief addresses will be made by President Welch, President Smith, Hon F. E. Guthery, Judge R. M. Wannamaker and Bishop David H. Moore.

Saturday, September 23.

8:30 a. m.—Conference session.

2 p. m.—Address, Miss Josephine Corbin, field secretary of the Woman's Foreign missionary society, and Mrs. W. E. Manley, of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society.

3:30 p. m.—Bible lesson, Dean Buell.

7:30 p. m.—Addresses. Senator Oron F. Hypes of the Epworth league, and Rev. E. C. Clemans, D. D., of the board of conference claimants. Rev Charles Bennett, chairman.

Sunday, September 24.

Epworth Methodist Episcopal church.

9 a. m.—Love feast led by the Rev G. B. Wiltsee.

10:30 a. m.—Sermon, Bishop David H. Moore.

3 p. m.—Ordination of deacons and elders.

7:30 p. m.—Sermon by the Rev. A. G. Kynett, D. D., of the board of home missions and church extension.

First Presbyterian church.

10.30 a. m.—Sermon, Rev Charles W. Sutton.

7:30 p. m.—Sermon, Rev. W. N. Shank.

Calvary Evangelical church.

10:30 a. m.—Sermon. Rev F. W. Stanton.

7:30 p. m.—Sermon, Rev. William Hook.

First United Brethren church.

10:30 a. m.—Sermon. Rev W. S. Culp.

7.30 p. m.—Sermon, Rev. Dr. P. A. Crowe.

First Reformed church.

10.30 a. m.—Sermon, Rev. B. F. Reading.

7:30 p. m.—Sermon, Rev Daniel Stecker.

Trinity Baptist church.

10.30 a. m.—Sermon, Rev. W. T. Stockstill.

7:30 p. m.—Sermon, Rev. O. L. Curl.

Lee Street Presbyterian church.

10.30 a. m.—Sermon, Rev. O. E. Smith.

7.30 p. m.—Sermon, Rev S. R. Dunham.

German Methodist Episcopal church.

10.30 a. m.—Sermon, Rev. A. J. Bussard.

7:30 p. m.—Sermon, Rev. W. J. Green.

Wesley Methodist Episcopal church.

7:30 p. m.—Sermon, Rev. E. A. Strother.

Central Christian church.

10.30 a. m.—Sermon, Rev. H. J. Jewett.

7.30 p. m.—Sermon, Rev. E. J. Webster.

African Methodist Episcopal church.

10:30 a. m.—Sermon, Rev. A. H. Weaver.

7:30 p. m.—Sermon, Rev. Stewart Baumgardner.

Monday, September 25.

8.30 a. m.—Conference session.

Many do not know laces are often made with a straight thread at the top over which the lace may be drawn to make a scant ruffle.

The Warner Edwards Co

Store News for Friday, September 8, 1911.

Women's Fall Garments

The new Fall Suits for women and misses are all on display, in the new army blue, coronation, golden brown and all fashionable mixtures. Priced from $17.00 to $40.00.

The New Trimmings

Are attracting a lot of interest in the Dress Goods Department. They show every new style note, both in colors and designs. Look them over before planning your Fall dresses.

Autumn Suitings

The Fall Suitings were never more handsome than they are this season. The heavy, rough-finished effects in grey, tan and brown mixtures are 56 and 58 inches wide. They are excellent for suits or new separate skirts (two widths make a skirt). $1.00 to $2.25 a yard.

A Word About the New Challies

Yesterday a woman told us she never saw a better assortment of Challies. We are selling them very fast at 59c and 50c yard.

Select Your New Corset Carefully

To get graceful corset lines the proper corset is the "Modart," the improved front-lace corset. An expert will fit every corset, insuring grace and comfort. These high quality corsets range in price from $5 to $10.

Blankets

The cool nights will soon be here when an extra blanket will be needed. We can supply you with a wool or cotton blanket at a low price.

THE FALL STYLE BOOK ILLUSTRATING Ladies' Home Journal PATTERNS READY NOW

Many who were not able to get an early copy of The Fall Quarterly Style Book can now purchase one for 20c, including a 15c pattern.

THE SECOND ANNUAL REUNION OF FAMILY

Forty-Six Members of the Cluff Family Present.

The second annual reunion of the Cluff family was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cluff, six miles north of Marion, Wednesday. About forty-six members of the family were present.

The time was spent socially, and at the noon hour a sumptuous dinner was served. After dinner, recitations and singing were enjoyed and Rev. Mr. Adams, of Kirkpatrick, led in prayer. The following officers were elected:

W. S. Cluff, president; B. F. Cluff, secretary, Clay Cluff, treasurer; Abbie Cluff, Mary Cluff, Minerva Smith and Thurlow Likens, committee on program.

The next reunion will be held at the same place the first Wednesday in September.

Crying babies, like good suggestions, should be carried out.

The New Dress Goods

Certain New Styles in Dress Goods promise to be very scarce this season.

A sudden demand for Double faced materials and the new Scotch Mixtures have made these goods very hard to find. We bought them early. Our first showing tomorrow

We have Double Faced Materials for coats in heavy weight, 54 inches wide, at $2.50

Plaid Back Cheviots in skirting and suiting weights, 54 inches, at $2.00

Scotch Suitings in a big variety of New Mixtures, 54 inches, at $2.00 to $1.00

Coleen Poplins—our Fall line just came today. Some come in the new bordered effects. See them now.

All Wool Storm Serges for Peter Thompson Suits, at 50c.

The Uhler-Phillips Co

FRIDAY BARGAINS

$25 Coats For $6.95 Each

15 Coats, mostly Fall samples, regular $25 values. For quick selling tomorrow at only $6.95 each.

$30 Coats For $9.95 Each

New Fall models in Coats, all colors. Novelties, Serges, mostly Fall models, have large sailor collars, worth $30.00 each. Buy them tomorrow for only $9.95.

Regular $2.00 Corsets For $1.00

Only a few of these Corsets left, splendid models, the celebrated Regis make regular $2.00 values—buy 'em tomorrow for only $1.00 each.

50 Fall Dresses at 1-3 Off

50 Fall Dresses, comprising a Fall sample line, including Silks, Voiles over Messalines, Serges, Novelties. All to go tomorrow while they last at one-third off.

A line of Wash Skirts, worth up to $2.00—tomorrow for only 79c each.

Frank Bros. & Co.

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MARION COUNTY FAIR

SEPTEMBER 26, 27, 28, 29, 1911

Sixty Years of History Culminates in the BEST Fair ever given, on the above dates.

Large Displays in Every Department

The entries show that there will be an unrivaled exhibit of the products of Farm, Field and Orchard in Marion county, together with the products of the shop, studio and housewife.

Good Music and Entertainment

Three fine bands will furnish music and there will be an unusually attractve list of devices and concessions to add to the fun and interest of the occasion.

BRING THE FAMILY TO THE FAIR

Three Days of Fine Racing are Assured

The liberal purses have attracted an exceptional list of entries this year and the "Sport of Kings" should develop close finishes. Watch for Entry List and Program.

Live Stock and Poultry Exhibit

There is no reason why any county should surpass Marion in production of high-grade stock, and this exhibit will show that in this particular we are improving our advantages.

MAKE IT A REUNION AND HOMECOMING

THE MARION COUNTY AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION

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THE "RUSSIAN LION" EASY PREY FOR FARMER GOTCH

Iowa Man Keeps Hackenschmidt from Wrestling Honors

THE CHAMPIONSHIP STAYS IN AMERICA

Having Had His Money in Advance "Hack" Doesn't Seem to Care and Gotch, in Splendid Condition Ends Match by Getting Two Throws in Short Time

Chicago Sept 5 George Hackenschmidt the Russian lion outfought at every point laid down his hope of the world's wrestling championship to Frank Gotch The first fall came in 14 minutes 18 1-5 seconds on a reverse body hold and wrist lock The second fall came in [illegible] minutes 22 1-5 seconds Gotch using his famous toe hold that won him the championship three years ago

Hackenschmidt untrained was hog fat He had no chance whatever He was a beaten man when he entered the ring Gotch trained to the minute, and seeming the acme of physical perfection beat Hackenschmidt at every stage of the game The masterful strength which Hack was supposed to possess did not show to advantage when Gotch only clasped the lion The Iowa farmer was simply too good for the Russian He pitted physical strength against a man who had practically no strength The result was inevitable

Spins Russian Around

The second and final fall came so quickly that the great crowd failed to appreciate the fact that the match was ended The wrestler had sparred for an opening Like a flash Gotch caught the Russian around the legs spun him around and dropped him on his stomach Gotch's head was at the lion's feet his legs were wrapped about Hack's body He worried the Russian for a few moments about the legs and then in a twinkling threw both hands around Hack's left foot There was a quick sharp twist A look of intense pain passed over Hack's face He sought to break he sought to tear his pained leg from Gotch's grip but the Iowa farmer was too strong He twisted again and Hack gave up Referee Smith's hands fell on Gotch's shoulders and the Humboldt farmer still was the world's champion.

Referee Smith announced just before the match begun that at the request of Chief of Police McWeeney and President Comiskey all bets were called off

Shows Yellow Streak

Chicago Sept 5—There is but one conclusion drawn today by the 28 000 persons who witnessed yesterday's fiasco when Frank Gotch world's champion wrestler made George Hakenschmidt the Russian quit cold The conclusion is that having received his money in advance and having nothing to gain by training or struggling hard Hack quit cold laying flat on his back to hide the streak of yellow that showed through the sallow skin Gotch in condition and trained as hard as ever before in his life was ready to give the spectators a fight for their money He was in earnest and conscientious and when he saw the hogfat Hack come into the ring threw him the moment he could to end the disgusting spectacle It is hardly probable Hackenschmidt will ever get another chance to wrestle in America About the only really interesting thing about the match was that the moving pictures of the bout which ended at 1 o'clock were exhibited in a local theater last night at 8 They show how cleverly Gotch mastered the Russian

The fact that Jack Curley manager for Hackenschmidt was also promoter of the match and secretary of the Empire Athletic club has caused much unfavorable comment as a result of the miserable fiasco It is believed the farce will put an end to the wrestling game on a big scale for years to come Wrestling fans put up $8[illegible]0 to see the affair Of this Gotch got $1[illegible] 000 The club's expenses were $1[illegible] 000 Hack was to have received seventy per cent of the remainder—$40 137 leaving the club a profit of $18 016 But Hackenschmidt received no such sum Manager Curley paid him $11 000 for his share and $[illegible]00 expense money leaving a profit for Curley of $[illegible]3 Curley also received one quarter of the club's net profit amounting to $4 [illegible] making his total winnings on the match $[illegible] 91 and one quarter of the moving picture royalties Curley's admission that he knew of Hakenschmidt's injury for two weeks and did not make an effort to postpone the match that the Russian might recover has left a bad taste in the mouths of many fans

SAYS TAFT'S STATE PAPERS ARE MODELS

Wilson Declares Taft Has Grown Greater as President

Lincoln Neb Sept [illegible] Secretary of Agriculture Wilson is here today in the interest of President Taft's reelection In an address to the visitors at the state fair he said

Taft is a great man and he has grown greater as president His state papers are models He goes into every detail He is not a politician but he understands the great principles of government and applies them

Charity covereth a multitude of people with cast off garment

CLARENCE E. SPANGLER WINS RICHWOOD GIRL

Young People Are Joined in Marriage at Marysville

MRS GEORGE LOW ILL IN A HOSPITAL

Miss I Ruth Wells and Mr Vaughan D Cahill Are Joined in Marriage at the Christian Church at Shreve Anna Mae Jones the Victim of an Accident

Richwood O Sept 6 [Special]—Miss Martha Staley and Mr Clarence E Spangler were united in marriage Wednesday by Rev L S Weaver of the M E church of Marysville Immediately after their marriage they left for Columbus where they spent several days The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs A J Staley who live west of Richwood She attended Richwood High school and is popular among her friends here The groom's parents are Mr and Mrs George Spangler of Mansfield He follows the occupation of farming in York township where he and his bride will reside

Mrs George Low who lives south of Richwood and who was taken to the Jane Case hospital in Delaware by Dr F M Wurtsbaugh last week passed through a successful operation at that institution a few days ago and is rapidly recovering

Mrs Anne Bachelor left Saturday for Delaware where she is visiting relatives and friends

Mrs J N McFarland who lives west of Richwood has been seriously ill of flux and complications for several days

Miss I Ruth Wells and Mr Vaughan D Cahill were united in marriage Sunday August 27 at the parsonage of the Christian church at Shreve The groom is a grandson of Mr and Mrs Uriah Cahill of Richwood and has visited here frequently He and his bride are both graduates of Hiram college During her school days the bride studied with a view of becoming a volunteer missionary Mr Cahill holds the position of director of orchestra and of the violin department of Hiram college and is a composer of more than ordinary ability

Miss Irella Wynegar arrived home Friday from Huntington Indiana where she spent several weeks with relatives

Miss Starling Alexander spent the past several days with Miss Bernice Woolley of Arabia

Miss Minnie Wallace of North Lewisburg spent Thursday and Friday with her sister Mrs Cecil Holycross and with Mr and Mrs A Losey

Mrs John Jolley of Marion visited her mother Mrs Elvina Cheney during the past week

Mr and Mrs J O Jolley and little daughter of Dayton spent the past week with Mr Jolley's parents Mr and Mrs Preston Jolley north of Richwood

Anna Mae Jones the eight year old daughter of Mr and Mrs Lewis Jones who reside just east of Richwood was painfully injured Friday evening while here to attend the circus The child was leaning against the iron railing at the side of the cellar steps in front of the Lake building on south Franklin street when the rail gave way and she fell into the cellar way While not seriously injured she suffered severe bruises and a nervous shock

Dr F F Wurtsbaugh has purchased the property lying between his office and the alley on south Franklin street and is moving the old building to the rear of the lot The property was formerly owned by Mrs J B Landing of East St Louis who has been the guest of Mr and Mrs Edward McCombs for several weeks Dr Wurtsbaugh will in all probability erect a modern business block on the site at some future time

Ralph Peel of Richwood West Virginia has been the guest of his parents Mr and Mrs J C Peel during the past week

Mrs Guy Heckerman of Greenville is the guest of her mother Mrs [illegible] Innes of [illegible] street

A daughter was born Thursday to Mr and Mrs Harve Mather who live south of Richwood

Mrs [illegible] A Kohl was the guest Thursday of Mrs F R Hotsenpiller of Magnetic Springs

Mrs Lillie Miller spent the past week with her sister Mrs Earl [illegible] of Raymond

Fred Crawford is enjoying a vacation from his duties at Gillet's clothing store and is visiting his sister Mrs J C Smith at Toledo

Mr and Mrs M J Hoover of Cleveland are the guests of the latter's parents Mr and Mrs M J Handley

Miss Mary [illegible] arrived here Friday from [illegible] and is employed trimming in Miss Campbell's millinery [illegible]

Mrs S L Thompson returned home [illegible] Tuesday [illegible] with her sister Mrs Anna Jacobus of [illegible] Delaware While there she attended the [illegible] of the [illegible] and [illegible]

Miss Anna H[illegible] spent a vacation of a week with her parents Mr and Mrs M Hare north [illegible] Cleveland [illegible] Cincinnati [illegible] pharmacist in Chicago [illegible]

[illegible] and family moved this week [illegible] Franklin street [illegible]

Mr and Mrs George Hancock left Wednesday for Newark to be present at the annual reunion of the Hancock family which was held near that city Thursday

Postmaster C H Huffman attended the state convention of the third and fourth class postmasters of Ohio held in Columbus last week

Mrs Joseph Shipley and daughter Anna spent a few days as the guests of Miss Strouher [illegible] Arpee of Nelsonville last week

Mrs W W Sharp of Mansfield has been the guest of her mother Mrs S J Davis during the past week

Miss Leah Mumford of Columbus has been the guest of her cousin Mrs A B Simons during the past few days

Rev Mr and Mrs A D Hoover left Thursday for Petoskey Michigan where they are enjoying a delightful outing

Mr and Mrs Amos Tanner and Miss Mary Smith left Wednesday for Coshocton county They attended the annual reunion of the Haines family held Thursday near Funnel Hill Monday they attended the reunion of the Tanner family held at Newark

In honor of Miss Edith McPherson Miss Maude Dean very delightfully entertained a number of friends Thursday evening at her home on west Ottawa street Miss McPherson's engagement to Mr Dickey of Toledo was announced during the evening the guests being presented dainty hand painted cards bearing the names of the prospective bride and groom The honor guest was presented a number of beautiful gifts including silver linen cut glass and china The wedding will take place within the next few weeks

One of the largest and happiest crowds ever in Richwood was here Friday for Sparks circus the first to be seen here in many years The tents were pitched in the fairground and the attendance at both the afternoon and the evening performances was very large All were well pleased with the show

W H Richards Mrs J J Longstaff Mrs Mary [illegible] Mrs John Woods and Mrs Zella M Warren were in Marion Saturday in attendance at the funeral of the late William Voorhies who formerly lived in Richwood

Miss Hazel Hu[illegible]d left a few days ago for Wellsburg West Virginia where she is employed as an instructor in the public schools J B Bryant a former superintendent of the Richwood schools holds a similar position at Wellsburg and Misses Ina McKitrick Una Elliott formerly employed as teachers here are now teaching in the Wellsburg schools

Mrs S A McNeil was hostess to the Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon at her home on south Franklin street The ladies spent the afternoon socially and a nice lunch was enjoyed

MARSHAL OF OHIO'S MODEL TOWN DEAD

Official Passes Away as He Plans To Give Up Position

Del[illegible] O Sept [illegible]—[illegible] Detrich sixty seven marshal of Ohio's model town died here yesterday Detrich was planning to give up his office with its pay of $100 a year because there was nothing to do In two years there has been no law violation in the city and Marshal Detrich felt that with no duties to perform it wasn't right for him to take the money

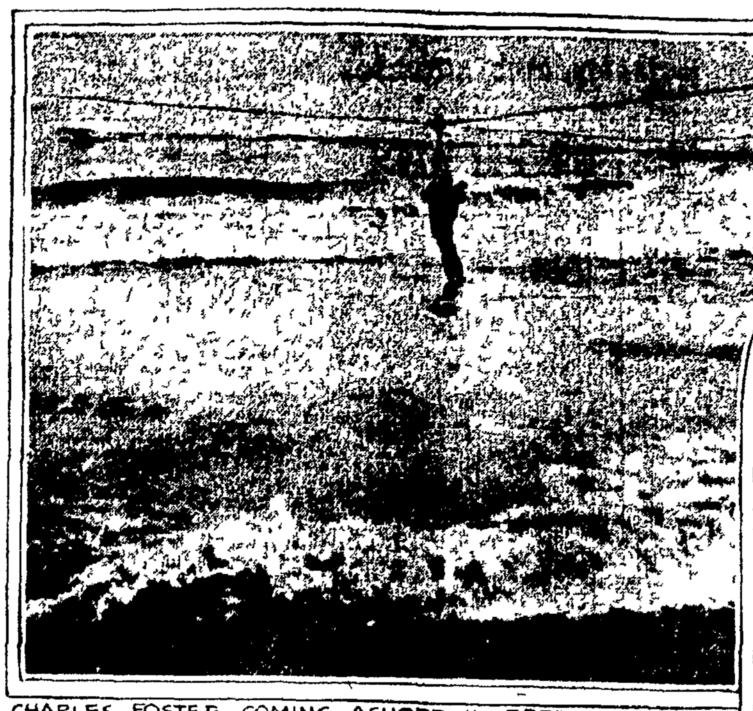
Who'll be his successor is a problem Everybody in town prides himself on being thoroughly honest and feels like Detrich did that it's not right to take what in many other places would be welcomed as a political plum

WU HU PROVINCE IS DEVASTATED

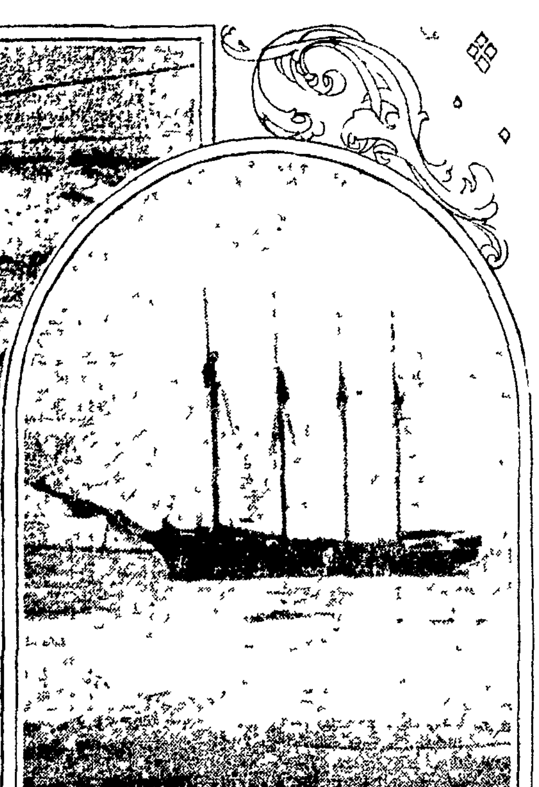
Report Says 100,000 Persons Die as a Result

Hankow China Sept 5 According to reports received here from the American missionaries at Wuhu there has been a great overflow of the Yangste river causing the death of 100 000 persons Beyond this there has been a general flood condition in the province of Anwhei which is the worst ever known there It has been estimated that 9[illegible] per cent of the growing crops have been destroyed

LIFE SAVERS RESCUE CREW OF STRANDED SCHOONER--BREECHES BUOY IS BROUGHT INTO USE



CHARLES FOSTER COMING ASHORE IN BREECHES BUOY



THE CARRIE A. LANE, ASHORE NEAR SHINNECOCK HILLS.

RESCUED SEAMAN BEING TAKEN FROM BREECHES BUOY BY LIFE SAVERS

ELEVEN DIE IN A JUNEAU FIRE

Fourteen Are Injured When a Crowded Hotel Burns

SEVERAL BODIES ARE RECOVERED

Ruins Are Searched for Other Victims of Blaze

Hotel Is in Flames When Alarm Is Sounded and Several Guests and Day Clerk Are Among Those Who Burn to Death When Fire Cuts Off Their Escape—Monetary Loss Is $30 000

Juneau Alaska Sept [illegible] Eleven persons lost their lives in a fire which destroyed the Juneau hotel and the [illegible] building last night Six bodies have been taken from the ruins

Fourteen persons are in the hospital suffering from severe burns or injuries received when they jumped from the upper floors It is believed two of the injured will die

The hotel a three story structure was crowded and the entire building was ablaze before the alarm was given

Partial List of Dead

William Morrison day clerk formerly of Portland Oregon

Walter Davenport a painter of Tacoma

Selma Dowling, a native girl

Bodies Recovered

The bodies of Morrison Davenport two unidentified men and two unidentified women have been recovered

The monetary loss is estimated at $30 000

ZOEY PEARL HUNT DIES AT CALEDONIA

Death Follows Four Weeks Illness of Typhoid Fever

Caledonia O Sept [illegible] [Special]—Zoey Pearl Hunt the eleven year old daughter of Mr and Mrs William Hunt died at the home of her parents on south High street Monday evening at 8 30 o'clock after an illness of four weeks of typhoid fever

The little girl was born in Marion July 22 1900 and came to this place with her parents soon after her birth She is survived by her parents two sisters [illegible] and Bessie and four brothers [illegible] Nelson Ernest and Eugene

The funeral will be held from the family residence Wednesday afternoon at 1 30 o'clock Rev C A R [illegible] officiating Burial will be made in the Caledonia cemetery

In spite of its simple effectiveness not one woman wears a sailor hat today where five wore them a few years ago

REBEL ARMY IS PUT TO FLIGHT

Fifty Dead Left on Mexican Battlefield.

NO MERCY FOR LEADER ZAPATA

Federal Troops Carry Out the Orders of Madero

Government Officials and Madero Grow Tired of Waiting on Insurgents to Disband and Deal Harshly with Them—The Coming Presidential Election Promises To Be Stormy

Mexico City Sept 5—Fifty followers of the insurrecto leader Emilio Zapata were killed in a battle with federal troops in the state of Morelos and it is stated that unless Zapata was killed as reported he is to be prosecuted by the federal government for the crimes he has committed and permitted to be committed by his men in that state Murder arson and abuses of the dead and living are among the crimes charged

The federal government has resolved to pay no more attention to his plea that he is disbanding his men but is going to press the campaign against him President De la Barra has determined to effect the immediate disarmament of the forces of Zapata to have every town in the state of Morelos occupied by federal troops which shall by degrees be replaced by the new rural guard which are being organized by General Villaznor

Used Machine Guns

The fight took place between Zapata's men in the mountains near Chinameca and the federals who were garrisoning the town and was precipitated by attacks on the federals by the rebels The federals used machine guns and mowed down the insurrectos If Zapata was wounded or killed his men recovered him according to the correspondent of El Pais who says that the federals failed to find the leader on the field

Mexico City is strongly guarded by police and soldiers and the riots which disgraced the capital have not been repeated Friends of Bernardo Reyes are indignant at the conduct of the mob that stoned and robbed him when he was attempting to address a mass meeting in front of the new National theater and point to the disorders as evidence that Mexico will not have a fair election in October Madero announced his disapproval of the conduct of the mobs but orders have not yet been given the troops to fire on the next mob of this character

Once there was a woman who thought her feet were too small—so they had to keep her in a padded cell

Linoleum on the kitchen table will last longer than oil cloth

NAB PRINCE OF BLACK HANDERS

Gotham Police Collar Leader of Bomb Throwers

HAD BOMB HIDDEN BENEATH HIS COAT

As He Walked Through Streets of East Side

Prisoner Is Declared Not Only To Have Directed Sixteen Bomb Outrages in Past Few Months but To Have Had a Hand in Recent Kidnaping Cases—Lived in Fine Flat with His Family

New York Sept [illegible]—Collared as he walked through a crowded East Side street with a bomb concealed beneath his coat a man whom the police credit with being the master mind of the worst band of Black Handers that ever operated in New York was arrested today He is Giuseppe Costable a salesman living at No 1[illegible] Christie street At police headquarters it was declared that Costable not only directed the sixteen bomb outrages in the tenement district in the last month but had also figured in recent kidnapings Costable is well known to the Metropolitan police and Joe Petrosino the New York detective assassinated at Palermo Italy declared that he was the most cunning criminal in New York Although he has done no work in six years and has no visible means of support Costable lived in an elaborately furnished flat with his wife and two children He has been under surveillance five years but it was not until today that the police had enough evidence to warrant his arrest

Italians who were recently killed in New York and Wilkesbarre Pennsylvania while collecting blackmail were friends of Costable and according to the police his agents One of the arrested bomb throwers confessed he was hired by the man now imprisoned but he repudiated his confession

GOTHAM BELLBOY SENTENCED TODAY

Lad Who Kills Aged Man Gets Twenty-Year Sentence

New York Sept [illegible]—Paul Geidel seventeen year old murderer of William H Jackson had the sentence of not less than twenty years nor more than his natural life at hard labor passed upon him He displayed no emotion as Judge Crain pronounced sentence and walked from the courtroom prepared to be taken to Sing Sing immediately apparently without seeing his mother who was weeping silently nearby

An [illegible] of [illegible] will [illegible] effect [illegible] garniture

FOUR KILLED IN A TRAIN CRASH

Wreck Occurs Near Erie at 8 55 Last Night.

FORTY PERSONS ARE INJURED

Disregard for Signal Is Cause of Collision.

Train Is Soon a Mass of Flames and Dead Are Pinned Under Burning Debris—Injured Passengers Are Rushed to Hospitals in Erie—The Work of Recovering Bodies of the Dead Started Immediately

Erie Pa Sept 5—Four persons are dead and at least forty injured as the result of the wreck of Erie and Pittsburgh passenger train No 201 at Dock Junction four miles west of this city at 8 55 last night The wreck was the result of a collision between the Erie & Pittsburgh train and a Lake Shore freight train which was backing into a switch to allow the passenger train to get through The passenger train was running thirty minutes behind its schedule

The List of Dead

John S Jones engineer of Erie

Fireman name unknown

Tramp riding on train

Unknown passenger in smoker

The Known Injured

C S Carr Erie suffering from shock

James Firman fireman on freight fatally bruised

C C Williams Erie left leg burned

F C Northup Erie head cut

J O Olonsi miner Barnsboro Pennsylvania shoulder broken

Thomas S Fitzmaurice Erie conductor on Erie & Pittsburgh train leg broken at St Vincent's hospital

C M Petterson Albion Pennsylvania shoulders and back injured

A C Peterson New Castle Pennsylvania internally injured

Train Catches Fire

The entire train was soon a mass of flames The four dead were pinned under the wreckage and their bodies have not been recovered

The smoking car was turned half over and the injured crawled through the broken windows The fire in the cars was extinguished before they were completely burned

Many who reside in this city and suffered minor injuries were taken to their homes

According to reports in railroad circles Engineer Jones who was in charge of the passenger train disregarded a red light and this was the cause of the collision

Three More Killed

Fremont Wis Sept [illegible]—Three persons are dead and more than forty injured some seriously as a result of the derailment of train No 17 a limited passenger train made up of steel equipment on the Soo line running into an open switch one mile south of here early today

The engine and mail cars of the train the Velvet Special were thrown 200 feet landing in a corn field The other coaches with the exception of two Pullmans went into the ditch

Engineer August Kuester of Fond Du Lac Wisconsin and [illegible] unidentified men were killed Miss [illegible] Calvey Duluth, and F Fo[illegible] a tramp who gave his home as Detroit will probably die Railroad officials say some one must have tampered with the switch target

A BUTCHER SWALLOWS FIFTY FOUR RAW EGGS

Then He Tops Mess with Two Drinks of Whisky

San Francisco Cal Sept [illegible] Seemingly none the worse for his gluttonous feat [illegible] Volz a butcher swallowed fifty four raw eggs in 180 seconds Volz got [illegible] eggs and $100

Several days ago Abe Shaw proprietor of the butcher shop who was familiar with Volz's accomplishment offered to bet Leo Sanc[illegible] $100 that Volz could swallow fifty four eggs in six minutes [illegible] sought the opinion of a doctor and got [illegible]

Then he took the wager and [illegible] a similar [illegible] with Volz

After eating the eggs Volz [illegible] two drinks of whisky and went back to work

PHYSICIAN BEATS NATURE'S SCHEME

New York Man Can Get [illegible] Hatch in Twelve Days

Fishkill Landing N Y Sept [illegible]—Two weeks ago Dr H S [illegible] a local physician wagered [illegible] hens three weeks to hatch [illegible] could be improved even if nature did provide [illegible] of days

The twelfth day was [illegible] and taking four local business professional men as judges he removed the eggs [illegible] cracked them open placed them in cotton and [illegible] them into a hot oven In about fifteen [illegible] little chickens peeping and all of them are in health today

Dr [illegible] simply [illegible] which surgeons of [illegible] employ

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SNATCHED FROM A WATERY GRAVE

Skirt as Distress Signal Saves a Perishing Pair.

PRAYER OF HELPLESS COUPLE ANSWERED

As Little Catboat Is Tossed by a Raging Sea.

At Mercy of Ocean Waves Since Saturday, Young Man and Society Girl of Dover, New Hampshire, Drift Out to Sea, Helpless and Almost Senseless as Hours Pass: Picked Up by Yacht.

Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 6.—Three days in a small cat boat adrift at sea, during every hour of which they were face to face with death, Miss Elsie Henderson, aged twenty-one and Thomas Dennison, aged twenty-two, of Dover, were picked up at dawn yesterday six miles off the coast by Commodore Robert Strong, of the Lynn Yacht club, on his yacht, Rob Roy. Miss Henderson lay unconscious in the cockpit, while Dennison, exhausted, was raving in delirium. They are now in Portsmouth hospital. The girl revived sufficiently to tell an incoherent story of their perilous adventure

Dennison is a member of a wealthy family in Dover. Miss Henderson is a chaming society girl. They started Saturday morning in a small cat boat for a cruise about Portsmouth harbor and off the coast

The Girl's Story.

"When we were getting down the harbor a squall struck us," said Miss Henderson "Almost at the first gust our sail was carried away. The boat tossed about helplessly, the waves always gaining in size, until we feared that we would be swamped. We fought desperately to keep the craft straight. Tom waved his coat when we sighted a vessel, but they evidently did not see us.

"All the time we kept drifting out to sea In desperation I took off my underskirt. Tom rigged up an oar and we put that up as signal. The vessel we hoped to attract kept on its course We yelled for help, but our cries were in vain. We kept getting weaker and weaker, until finally we had to give up and just sit there and hope

Pray for Help.

"Then we prayed for help. Somehow, I thought our prayers would be answered. We had some sandwiches, and when we seemed nearly starved we ate these. But they were soon gone.

"Then, to add to our terror, it grew dark We were too weak to make any further efforts, but we were too frightened to sleep, and we lay awake all night. Sunday dawned and there we were far from the sight of land, and expecting every moment to be drowned. We were drenched We were too weak even to talk

"Tom seemed to have fallen into a stupor and I passed into senselessness then From that time on I remember nothing."

Found in Time.

Commodore Strong, who discovered the helpless craft, said that he sighted the cat boat with its distress signal at dawn Tuesday. Only the flying skirt caught his eye, and that was what saved the young people.

It took the Rob Roy three-quarters of an hour to reach the derelict. Strong was amazed at the sight. The young man and the girl were lying senseless in the cockpit. The sea was rough and waves were splashing over the boat In a short time Dennison and Miss Henderson would have died. After dragging them onto the Rob Roy. Strong poured brandy through Dennison's swollen lips, but he could not revive him

At the hospital it was learned that Dennison and Miss Henderson will recover.

DOGS FIND BODIES OF SLAIN TWINS

Washington Man Is Being Hunted by Posse as Result.

Aberdeen Wash, Sept. 6.—Bloodhounds today uncovered the bodies of the nineteen-year-old twin sons of Henry Beauer, a farmer, living near Montesane. Their uncle, John Turno, is missing and a posse is searching for him, believing he is responsible for the death of the boys.

The lads had gone hunting and when they failed to return a searching party found their bodies near their uncle's cabin. Both were shot through the head.

WILL FLY FROM COAST TO COAST

Aviator Atwood To Be Backed by a $50,000 Syndicate.

Lynn Mass., Sept 6.—Harry N. Atwood said today that he would be backed for $50,000 by a syndicate of Californians in a cross-country flight from Los Angeles to New York, which he said he will begin September 15 He will leave Boston for the coast, Saturday. Atwood said today he will pass by large cities, making his stops as often as possible at small towns

SWIMS ENGLISH CHANNEL AGAIN

Second Time in History Feat Is Accomplished.

YORKSHIRE MAN DOES THE STUNT

After Making Study of Channel for Years.

Swimmer Crosses from South Foreland to Cape Gris-Nez, a Distance of Twenty Miles, and Aged Mother Is First To Congratulate Him—A Remarkable Exhibition of Pluck and Determination Shown.

Calais, France, Sept. 6.—William Burgess today swam the English channel from South Foreland to Cape Gris-Nez, at the mouth of Calais harbor, being the second man in history to accomplish the feat. He started at 10:50 a. m. yesterday and left the water at 10:30 this morning. Captain Webb was the first and only previous swimmer to pass the treacherous channel

Burgess is a Yorkshire man and and for several years it has been his ambition to swim the channel and he made a study of it. During his trials he was never actually exhausted, but stopped after making a study of the conditions he had to overcome. The distance he covered is slightly less than twenty miles.

Burgess' swim was a remarkable exhibition of pluck and determination in the face of adverse tides and heavy fogs. He was accompanied by friends in a motor launch and several times during the long ordeal stopped for food and rest, which he took in the water. His mother awaited him at the landing here and was the first to congratulate him

An effort recently to erect a statue to the memory of Captain Webb, the first channel swimmer, was abandoned when the people of his native village objected because the famous swimmer's figure was draped only in bathing trunks.

Captain Matthew Webb, who swam the channel in 1875, performed the feat in twenty-one hours and forty-five minutes. Burgess' time was twenty-three hours and forty minutes. Burgess made his first trial in 1904. His successful swim was his tenth start.

HINDUS STIRRED BY KING'S VISIT

Object to Footing Bill of Expenses for Trip.

"DURBAR" WILL BE HELD IN DECEMBER

Cost of Spectacle Will Run into Millions.

Native Press Suggests That King George Omit His Visit as Hindus Are Already Sufficiently Impressed with Power and Majesty of the "British Rajah"—Ceremonies To Be Magnificent.

Calcutta, India, Sept. 6.—A series of violent attacks are being made upon the British government and King George in particular as a result of the announcement here of the plans for the king's visit to India in December for the holding of the "durbar" at Delhi. The trip of the king and the royal escort will cost approximately $100,000,000. Most of this expense will have to be defrayed by the Indian government and a large portion of the country is now suffering from drought, famine and plague. The cost of the "durbar" and the grand review, alone, will be nearly $6,000,000 and this means but two days of the month's stay his majesty will make in India.

The native press suggests that the king omit his visit as the Hindus are already sufficiently impressed with the power and majesty of the "British Raja." And instead that the $100,000,000 be used to relieve suffering.

Gorgeous Spectacle.

The Delhi "durbar" is the most magnificent and splendid of the mystic oriental ceremonies. The climax is the reading of a proclamation by the native chiefs accepting the British monarch as their King-emperor. This proclamation will be read in the presence of 100,000 people and thousands of British troops transported from all parts of the world.

A new liner, The Medina, planned to be one of the finest ships ever launched, is being built for his majesty's use on the voyage to Calcutta. The flower of the British navy will escort him. Many thousands of troops will be moved to India. The Indian war office must find the funds for all these expenses, besides entertaining the visitors during their month's stay. Despite the seemingly incredible estimate of the cost, officials declare that it is conservative

POLITICS CAUSE HER DOWNFALL

Then Drink Drags Woman of Ability to Grave.

GOVERNOR MAKER DIES IN OLD HOVEL

Denver Woman Populist Leader's Life Ends.

Woman Who Few Years Ago Counted Governors and Prominent Politicians Among Her Friends Goes to Ruin Through Late Caucuses, Conferences and Following of the "High Ball Path."

Denver, Colo., Sept. 6.—Mrs. Helen F. Dixon, "maker of governors," and for years successful manipulator of political campaigns of the Populist party, is dead here. Her body was found last night in a one-room hovel where she had evidently died as the result of want and drink.

Mrs. Dixon was a woman of marked talent and ability, and her promises of a lasting brilliant career were wrecked, according to her own confession, by her craving for drink. She declared less than a year ago that politics had caused her downfall and drink her ruin, that "late caucuses and political conferences had placed her on the highball path."

Mrs. Dixon started her career as an actress in September, 1873, appearing in "Esmeralda." She developed into a political strategist and her friends from 1885 to 1895 included governors and prominent politicians. She acted as a leading spirit in the Populist movement, which swept Colorado in 1891 and 1892 and resulted in the election of David H. Waite as governor.

After the downfall of the populists, Mrs. Dixon conducted a school of elocution, then she resorted to the selling of hair tonic and dyes manufactured by herself to earn a living She was soon reduced to a state of abject poverty and lived by begging.

ANOTHER THRILLING TALE OF HURRICANE

Crew of Schooner Is Saved by the Big Liner, Saratoga.

Quarantine, N. Y, Sept. 5.—Another thrilling tale of shipwreck during the recent hurricane that swept the coast of the South Atlantic states, was brought in today by the liner, Saratoga, which arrived here with the crew of the schooner, James Davidson. The five men, utterly exhausted, had despaired of succor when taken from their dismasted and waterlogged craft and were still in a serious condition when landed The hurricane hit the Davidson. Sunday, August 27, when two days out of Charleston, South Carolina bound for Norwich, Connecticut.

During the fourteen hours the wind raged, giant waves swept over the schooner until the mainmast and everything above deck was swept into the sea. The hold began to fill with water and all Sunday night the schooner drifted helplessly. Early Monday the tank steamer, Northwestern, hove in sight and answered the Davidson's signals of distress. The first lifeboat lowered stove and filled and it was with great difficulty that the second was launched. When the rescuers reached the shooner the men were so fatigued that it was with difficulty they avoided being swept overboard, there remaining nothing to which they could lash themselves.

HARMON NAMES OHIO DELEGATES

Twenty-Five Will Attend Conservation Meet in Kansas City.

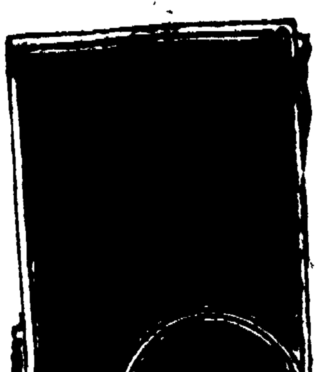
Columbus, O., Sept. 6.—Governor Harmon has appointed the following delegates to the national conservation congress, to be held at Kansas City Sept. 25. John Pugh, Youngstown; E S. Werts, Wooster; C. R. Wagner, Arlington; A. A. Huber, Defiance; C. M. Freeman, Tippecanoe City; W. J. Pontius, Canton; O. C. Barber, Akron; A. E. Kerns, Troy. John Courtright, Ashville; L. P. Bailey, Tacoma; John Begg, Columbus Grove, D. E. Dunham, Lebanon; C. A. Dyar, Marietta; H C. Rodgers, Mechanicsburg; W. W. Farnsworth, Waterville; H. L. Johnson, Troy; T. C Laylin, Norwalk; T. B. Ames, Rockland, E. M. Boggs, Barton; W S. Custer, Point Rock: O. E. Bradfute, Xenia; W. M. Hartman, Yellow Springs; Dan Egbert, Tiffin: T. C Kneisley, New Philadelphia; C. H. Allen, Paulding

CANAL STUFF GOES AS JUNK TO DEALERS

Part of De Lesseps Company Machinery Sold by Uncle Sam.

Washington, Sept. 6.—Part of the machinery that twenty years ago cost the De Lesseps Panama Canal company nearly $100,000,000 and which now lies in rusting ruins, scattered over the canal zone, was Tuesday, knocked down as "junk" to the Chicago House Wrecking company by Uncle Sam for $215,000. The "junk" includes the remains of locomotives, tanks, dump cars and every conceivable sort of iron and steel, aggregating thousands of tons.

WEDS RICH DENVERITE


MR AND MRS FRANK SMITH

After a romantic courtship of three years, which had its beginning in a conversation over the telephone, Miss Mae Lynch, of New York city, until recently chief telephone operator at the Hotel Gerard, was married the other day to Mr. Frank Smith, of No 4 Devine street, Denver. Mr. Smith is a son of a wealthy Colorado cattle raiser and mine owner.

Artists have referred to Mrs. Smith, who is of the blond type, as "the prettiest telephone girl in New York"

Mr. and Mrs. Smith will leave for Denver, where they are to live.

A SPRINGFIELD HUNTER KILLED

Gun Accidentally Discharged as Man Nears Home.

BELLECENTER BANK TO QUIT BUSINESS

Will Liquidate Through Rival Institution.

A Fashionable "Raffles," Operating in Findlay Society, Is Arrested and Proves To Be Son of Wealthy Man—Elyria Is Facing a Milk Famine—Woman Counterfeiter Is Released from the Pen.

Springfield, O., Sept 6—George Cannon, 45, prominent business man, died in the city hospital from the effects of a wound sustained when a shotgun, which he was carrying, was accidentally discharged. Cannon had been hunting and was returning home with his family in an auto. As he lifted his 4-year-old daughter to the seat her foot touched the trigger of the shotgun and Cannon's right arm was nearly blown off. He was rushed to the hospital and the arm was amputated. Loss of blood and the shock caused his death.

Bank Decides to Liquidate.

Bellefontaine, O., Sept. 6.—The Farmers' and Merchants' bank of Bellecenter, this county, closed its doors. Officials of the Bellecenter Banking company, a rival institution, announce that they have arranged to pay all depositors in full. The defunct institution was organized about four years ago by A. J. Solemon of Columbus. It had a capital stock of $12,500 and deposits amounted to $30,000. The officers claim the business was not paying and decided to liquidate through the Bellecenter Banking company.

Society Burglar Captured.

Findlay, O., Sept. 6.—That a fashionable Raffles has been operating in the wealthy homes of this city was disclosed with the arrest of John J. Garland. Garland is a son of J. A. Garland, a wealthy candy manufacturer of Minneapolis, Minn., and through these credentials has been able to mingle with the select families of the town. When arrested a revolver and a modern kit of burglar tools were found upon his person. The police allege that his operations have been going on for the past two months.

Elyria Faces Milk Famine.

Elyria, O., Sept. 6.—Milk at 10 cents a quart or no milk at all is what Elyria is now facing. The board of health recently adopted a rule regulating the handling of the milk supply of the city. Farmers who supply the city with milk are indignant. They say that they can not live up to the rules and sell milk at a reasonable price.

Woman Counterfeiter Released.

Columbus, O., Sept. 6.—Della Tayler, serving five years for counterfeiting from Scioto county, was released from the pen at the expiration of her sentence. She was the only woman counterfeiter at the prison for some time. The population of the woman's department at the pen today is 29, the lowest number during Warden Jones' administration.

Brought to Ohio For Burial.

Barton, O., Sept. 6.—The body of Norman B. Merritt, 27, has been brought here for burial at Parkman, from Alberta, Canada, where he was murdered by a farmhand.

Filling Position.

J. W. Ulsh is serving as health officer during the absence of Addison Bain, who is enjoying a vacation at Arcadia, Michigan.

Don't make the mistake of trying to correct the mistakes of a friend.

BIG DITCH TO HELP SHIPPERS

Transcontinental Rates Are To Be Slashed.

CHINESE UNDERBID AMERICAN CONCERNS

Matter Explained as Example of Rates.

Member of New Company Just Organized To Bid on Carrying Mail Gives Illustration of How Iron Interests of South and Fruit Men of West Will Be Benefited by the Panama Canal.

New York, Sept. 6.—With a capital of $15,000,000 the Atlantic & Pacific Transportation company was incorporated at Trenton, N. J., the object being to bid on the ocean mail service through the Panama canal, for which Postmaster General Hitchcock has advertised for bids. One of the incorporators, Bernard N. Baker of Baltimore, who helped to establish and was president of the Atlantic Transport company until it was absorbed by the International Mercantile Marine, was at the Waldorf to explain the purposes and plans of the new company.

He gave two concrete examples of what transportation by the water route will save to shippers. Pig iron was sent by the overland rail route, said he, until recently, from the Birmingham district in Alabama to San Diego, Cal., foundries at a cost of $10 a net ton. Not long ago a Chinese company underbid the American railroads and entered into a contract by which they could bring pig iron from China, pay the duty and deliver it at San Diego at a lower rate

Mr. Baker said that by taking this product down to Mobile on barges and carrying it from there through the Panama canal, pig iron could be delivered at $5 a ton and that meant the long English ton, too.

His other instance had to do with the shippers of lemons and oranges from California. It would mean to these dealers in citrous fruits a saving of approximately 40 per cent. or between $10,000,000 and $15,000,000 a year.

GRAFT AND VICE WILL BE PROBED

Albany, New York, To Have Cleaning-Up by Osborne.

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 6.—Sensational developments as to how graft and vice have flourished in the state capital for years are expected as soon as the legislative probing into the affairs of this city is commenced under the guidance of James W. Osborne as counsel for the investigators. The acceptance of the position as counsel by Osborne today left no doubt in the minds of Albanians that the investigation will be complete and thorough. When the investigators start no one will be spared. It is well known that poolrooms and gambling houses where all kinds of games of chance could be played were conducted openly and only closed when the legislature ordered the investigation. The "red light" district has been the scene of several raids and it was found that many persons were selling liquor without the required excise certificate. The management of city affairs, particularly the finances, will be another subject for the investigators.

Existing conditions are placed at the door of "Boss" William Barnes, as the city administration has been Republican since 1900. On the other hand the Republican leaders declare they have nothing to fear in the investigation and that there is no connection between the organization and the "red light" or gambling element.

PRESIDENT PARDONS AMBITIOUS YOUTH

New York Embezzler Gains Freedom to Attend School.

Washington, Sept. 6.—A pardon granted by President Taft to Isador Schoenbrum, of New York, was announced today at the department of justice.

Schoenbrum was a postal clerk who worked evenings and attended college during the day. His parents were poor and he was tempted to embezzle letters containing money. He was caught with a test letter and sentenced last February to serve one year. His term would expire November 26. As he desired to return to school the president pardoned him. He is nineteen years old.

LIEUTENANT SHAW WINS SWISS MATCH

Two Ohioans Appear in Match at Seagirt, New Jersey.

Seagirt, N. J., Sept. 6.—Lieutenant George C. Shaw, 28th United States infantry, today won the 500-yard Swiss match in the New Jersey Rifle association. Other competitors finished in the following order:

Sergeant A. Feiss, United States cavalry, Lieutenant J. O. Stemple, Ohio, Third infantry. In the 600-yard stage of the new two-man team match, Lieutenant Colonel C. B. Winder and Captain W. H. Richard, of Ohio, led with ninety-eight.

AN AMERICAN IS KILLED BY NATIVES

A Missionary in Guiana Ventures into the Interior.

Washington, Sept. 6.—The Rev. O. B. Davis of Washington, who has been superintendent of the Seventh Day Adventist mission in British Guiana, was murdered by natives in the interior while he was carrying on evangelist work among them. The murder is supposed to have occurred in the second or third week in July. Information of the murder was received at the headquarters of the Seventh Day Adventists at Tacoma Park, Md., near Washington. It came in the form of a cablegram from the Rev. E. C. Boger of California, who had been sent to succeed Mr. Davis. The cablegram gave no details.

Shortly before Rev. Davis' death a report was received at the headquarters here from Dr Davis that he had received an invitation from a tribe located some distance up the Demerara river and was just leaving in response to it. He added that it was his intention after he had fulfilled this mission to penetrate a territory where no white man had heretofore gone Several days ago the headquarters at Tacoma Park received a cablegram from Georgetown stating that Mr. Davis had not returned from his trip to the interior and that fears were entertained that he was murdered. The murdered minister was accompanied by his wife when he went to British Guiana, and she is now in Georgetown.

NOTED WOMAN AUTHOR FOUND DEAD IN BED

Katherine Cecil Thurston Dies in a Cork, Ireland, Hotel.

Cork, Ireland, Sept. 6.—Katherine Cecil Thurston, famous author of the "Masqueraders," "The Gambler" and other books, was found dead today in a hotel here.

Mrs. Thurston had been living quietly since her divorce from her author-husband, Ernest Temple Thurston, whom she married in 1901. In 1907, Thurston left his wife, declaring that for the purposes of his literary work it was necessary for him to go to the very bottom of society. He took up his residence in the Soho quarter with another woman. When she secured her divorce, Mrs. Thurston told the court she had offered to forgive her husband if he would return to her. He refused, it was stated, on the ground that he was not worthy. He also complained that his wife was making more money than he.

Mrs. Thurston was a native of Cork and a member of the Catholic church. Among her famous books besides those mentioned are "The Circle" and "John Chilcote, M. P."

TERROR SPREADS OVER OLDBRIDGE

As Murder and Arson Fiend Works Unmolested.

VILLAGERS STUNNED BY THE MISFORTUNES

Fires and Crimes Startle the Whole Community.

Brutal Murders Are Followed by the Burning of Homes and Every Effort To Capture Murderer Is Baffled—Those Who Seek To Find Fiend Are Slain in Their Tracks. Village in Panic.

Oldbridge, N. J., Sept. 6.—Baffled in every attempt to capture the murder and arson fiend, who, unmolested, has spread terror in this little community for years, the inhabitants of the village were thrown into a near panic today when it was learned the big insurance companies have cancelled all policies on Oldbridge property. The villagers were stunned by this culminating misfortune in the reign of outlawry, and steps were at once taken to form a vigilance committee to hunt the criminal down.

Within a month there have been three incendiary fires, two of them obviously set to accomplish murder as well as to destroy property. The crime was started with the brutal murder of Mrs. Jane Wright, a blind octogenarian, who was found dead with her throat cut and her little hoard of money missing.

A few days later, a barkeeper who boasted that he could name the murderer and fire fiend was shot to death in his own home His father was also killed while rushing to the young man's assistance. A laborer made a similar boast and he was murdered. A score of incendiaries completed the story of mysterious crimes which the authorities confess they are unable to fathom.

Many believe the murderer is still living here and there are many threats of lynching in the event of his capture.

Shop Burglarized.

The F. D. Bentz bicycle and repair shop on east Center street was burglarized some time Tuesday night, and between twelve and fifteen pair of fine bicycle tires were taken. Entrance was gained at the rear of the store, where a window was broken. The burglary was reported to the police next morning

Don't put soap on the window panes; rub with either alcohol or ammonia to make them shine.

TICKETS NAMED IN OHIO CITIES

Marshall Wins Out in Columbus Primaries.

JOHNSON MAN VICTOR IN THE FOREST CITY

Baker Beats Salen by a Vote of Four to One.

Newark Repudiates Atherton as Ex-Saloonkeeper Is Nominated by "Drys"—Trumbull, of Canton, Is Nominated for the Fourth Time. The "Wets" Win at Xenia and in Springfield.

Columbus, O., Sept. 6.—Mayor George S. Marshall has been nominated for a second term by the Republicans by a plurality of 2,500 approximately and possibly by an actual majority over his two opponents, George M. Harper and Daniel J. Ryan. Marshall was elected two years ago as a reform candidate and he has closed saloons Sundays and after midnight. Harper, a union bricklayer, favored open saloons. Ryan, who formerly was secretary of state, had a platform similar to that of Marshall.

The Democrats have nominated George J. Karb, supposedly an advocate of an open town, but he is expected to declare for a closed Sunday. Karb easily defeated Henry A. Mason, a monument dealer. Karb was formerly mayor of Columbus and sheriff of Franklin county.

Johnson Man Wins.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 6.—Newton D. Baker, the late Tom Johnson's lieutenant, was nominated for mayor by the Democrats of Cleveland over County Clerk Charles P. Salen by an overwhelming plurality. The vote was better than four to one in Baker's favor.

The Republican city organization was victorious at the polls, Public Safety Director Frank G. Hogen being nominated for mayor over his nearest opponent, Miner G. Norton, by a vote estimated at between 11,000 and 40,000.

The present primary contest was bitterly fought. Salen and Baker both indulged in bitter attacks from the rostrum, and it was war to the knife Salen was backed by the courthouse Democratic following and gave serious worry.

Newark Repudiates Atherton.

Newark, O., Sept. 6.—F. M. Swartz was nominated for mayor by the Democrats, and the Republicans nominated R. C. Bigbee. Herbert Atherton, who resigned from the mayor's office last summer, following the lynching of Carl Etherington, was the tail-end Democratic candidate for mayor. Mayor John M. Ankele, who sought renomination in the Republican primary, was defeated by Bigbee by a good majority. Bigbee is an ex-saloonkeeper, who was backed by the Law and Order league and the dry element generally.

Turnbull Admits He Is Wet.

Canton, O., Sept. 6.—Mayor A. L. Turnbull is the candidate of the Democratic party for the fourth time for mayor of Canton. He won the nomination by the narrow margin of 69. Opposing him is Clifton Burns, Republican, real estate dealer, who won the nomination against three competitors. Burns is known to be dry, while Turnbull has made no secret that he is wet.

Result at Dayton.

Dayton, O., Sept. 6.—John C. Ely, Democrat; Edward Philipps, Republican, and Willard Barringer, Socialist, are the mayoralty candidates for Dayton as the result of the primaries. Neither Philipps nor Barringer had opposition, the contests being confined to the Democrats.

Schwab Is Renominated.

Cincinnati, O., Sept. 6.—A light vote was polled at the primary election in this city, due to heavy rains. Dr. Louis Schwab, present mayor, was renominated by the Republicans, and Henry T. Hunt, county prosecutor, chosen Democratic candidate for mayor.

Wets Win in Xenia.

Xenia, O., Sept. 6.—The Republican primary in Xenia, which in reality was a fight between the wets and drys, resulted in a victory for the wets. The present mayor, William Dodds, Republican, was renominated by a big majority.

Wet Candidate Wins.

Springfield, O., Sept. 6.—At the primaries J. J. Miller was named for mayor by the Democrats and W. A Martin by the Republicans. Miller is wet.

THIRTEEN AT TABLE PROVES UNFORTUNATE

Florist Kills Wife, Wounds Daughter and Ends Own Life.

St. Louis, Sept. 6.—Andrew Frick is a suicide today, after killing his wife and shooting his daughter, following a family dinner last night at which thirteen guests were seated at the table. Frick, a florist, who was host, laughed when one of the guests remarked that thirteen was "bad luck."

It is believed Frick became temporarily insane.